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Mixed Cargo

The Ginger Trade Specialization On "Hedging"

HONGKONG is the center of the ginger trade in China. Ginger root is imported into Hongkong from Canton and other points in the South, and this is preserved and dried and then exported abroad. Canton supplied Hongkong last year some 9¾ million pounds of fresh ginger valued at about $400,000 against some 7 million pounds of the value of $300,000 in the previous year. The declared exports to the United States of preserved ginger last year were 283,239 pounds of the value of G.$28,189 against 129,233 pounds valued at G.$13,387. The largest consumers of ginger from China are England, the United States, the Netherlands, Germany and Australia. Ginger is an important item in the exports from Hongkong, to the extent of some two millions annually.

Of this, 45 percent goes to England, 16 percent to Australia, 15 percent to Holland and 1? percent to the United States. Practically all of the ginger exported from Hongkong is secured from Canton and nearly provinces. There has been a considerable appreciation in values since the war. For instance, wet cargo ginger, which used to sell in 1914 at $14 per picul, is now commanding $27.50 per picul; wet stem ginger $40 against $23 per picul; dry cargo ginger $29 against $22 in 1914; wet cargo ginger $6 per case of 30 lbs. now against $4 in 1914, and wet stem ginger $8.40 against $6.40 per jar. The Canton ginger factories buy the ginger from a few dealers, who collect from many small upcountry growers. Cargo ginger is treated as it comes from the growers. Since the opening of the season last August the demand for ginger has been good. Prices are expected to be steady throughout the season.

SPECIALISED BUSINESS

In his annual report to the Department of Commerce for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1923, Mr. Julean Arnold, the U. S. Commercial Attache, gives some wholesome advice to American manufacturers and others on successful trading in China. Mr. Arnold is of the opinion that specialisation along selected lines is an essential factor in future trading in this country, the experiences of the past few years demonstrating that one of the best methods of securing permanent connections in this market is by focussing sales and service efforts upon a few carefully chosen lines. On the importance of financial resources Mr. Arnold gives some useful advice which applies as much to other manufacturers and merchants as to Americans.

Says he: "Cost of conducting business in this field has increased very materially during the past twenty years, and the present trend points to a significant change from the old time general import and export commission houses to more specialised business. The greater opportunities for Chinese capital and initiative will be confined for many years to domestic expansion and it will be some time before the Chinese will be able to develop their own import and export houses to the extent of engaging in foreign trade direct. Thus the foreign firm will continue to be the important contact in China's trade with other countries.

"The securing of adequate financial resources is another essential of increasing importance in this market. Competition in China is daily becoming keener and the ability to secure business often depends upon the financial accommodations offered. It is necessary for American manufacturers to extend credit terms similar to those offered by our foreign competitors. The handicap under which American business in China labors in competition with other foreign interests can be greatly remedied by amending the China trade act, and this will place American capital in China on an equal basis with our foreign competitors in home tax exemptions. Helpful legislation granting equality of opportunity, will permit American

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WORTH READING

The second of a series of exceptionally interesting articles concerning President Calvin Coolidge's ideas appears on the editorial page today.

The articles reveal as never before just what President Coolidge thinks of the problems he is now facing.

The first article appeared yesterday—if you missed it we suggest you read it. Then read todays. And read the remaining articles every day in The China Press.

Weather

Fine and cool weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 68.6 and the minimum 48.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 73.0 and 63.6.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Emp. of Asia, Oct. 27.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Pierce, 10 a.m. today.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Angers, 9 p.m. today.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Porthos, Oct. 27

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SMUTS ASKS NEW PARLEY TO RULE ON REPARATIONS

South African Premier Makes Frank Address

APPEALS TO U.S.

French Ruhr Police Is Illegal, He Asserts

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—General Smuts made an unusually outspoken speech for a responsible statesman at the South African Luncheon Club today.

At the outset, the South African Prime Minister referred to the Imperial Conferences. He said that the preferences which the Government had already announced were going to be a very great advantage in development. They did not amount, however, to what was called Imperial preference.

Dealing with the European situation, General Smuts advocated a conference of the Governments of the Powers mainly interested in reparations. He declared that neither the Reparations Commissions nor the League of Nations Council possessed sufficient authority to deal with it. He foresaw that the decisions of the conference, regarding the holding of which negotiations were on foot, might result in a parting of the ways. The absence of any Power should not prevent the rest from foregathering. It was vitally important that the United States should attend as an active member.

The reparations figure was generally recognised as being too high but the most competent authorities agreed that a reasonable figure could be discharged without considerable difficulty, if only political questions such as the Ruhr occupation were out of the way.

General Smuts strongly supported the British Government's view that the French occupation was illegal under the Versailles Treaty. He warned British industrialists against participation in any of the spoils of the Ruhr.

The speech largely consisted of criticism of the present French policy, although the South African Premier went out of his way to express admiration and sympathy for the French people. He emphasised that, however, equably France might regard the prospect of Germany's dissolution, it would be a first-class and irreparable disaster to Britain and the small countries surrounding Germany.

General Smuts suggested that Britain and the Central European States could give Germany very valuable moral support. The Empire, which was entitled to an authoritative voice in the affairs of Europe, should make it perfectly clear in friendly but unmistakable language to all whom it may concern that in certain eventualities this country will have regard to its own interests and will take whatever steps are necessary to that end irrespective of the effect they have on old friendships."

In connection with the question of wiping out the inter-Allied debts to Britain and America, the speaker urged Britain not to lend aid to further

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Woman Rules India's Only Dry State

Nawab Sultan Jahan

HER Royal Highness, Nawab Sultana Jahan, the Begum Princess of Bhopal, principal Mussulman state of Central India, declares that after a six months' trial of prohibition her subjects are materially and morally benefited. The Sultana is the descendant of a long line of women rulers, and she has never appeared unveiled. This photograph is said to be the only one for which she ever posed. She gave a gorgeous banquet for the Prince of Wales when he was in India.

Sir Eric Geddes Takes Gloomy View Of Future Of World's Industries

Generation May Be Needed To Restore Pre-War Economic Conditions If Germany Disintegrates, He Asserts

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—With the Washington Agreement and the Irish settlement as two tangible steps in the direction of world peace to which the last Imperial Conference opened the way, political observers and newspapers are asking what the present Conference is likely to achieve in the direction of re-asserting the pacific influence of the British Commonwealth and saving Central Europe from chaos and Britain from industrial paralysis.

The persistence of the gloomy industrial outlook was the theme of an address by Sir Eric Geddes before the Federation of British Industries at Glasgow. He declared that the restoration of pre-war economic conditions in Europe was bound to take years and, possibly generations if Germany were disintegrated. He urged individual firms not merely to press the Government to take every step to encourage Empire trade in accordance with the suggestions made at the Economic Conference but to seize opportunities to secure export trade. Sir Eric called attention to the extraordinary position of the circle of high exchange countries and the circle of low-exchange countries, with the trade tendency to circulate independently of the two circles. He questioned the wisdom of keeping our eyes fixed on American exchange and ignoring the large volume of trade of the low exchange countries. He recommended the Government to appoint a commission of financial and economic experts and representatives of industry and labor to re-examine the monetary and currency policy.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—The Economic Conference today passed the two following resolutions:

Regarding the established practice not to discriminate between the flags of shipping in Empire ports, there was no intention of departing from this as regards countries treating ocean-going shipping under the British flag on a footing of equality with their own shipping.

In the event of a foreign country attempting to discriminate against British shipping in the future, the Governments of the Empire would consult together to seek the best means of meeting the situation.

Two further resolutions were passed, continuing the Imperial Shipping Committee on an Imperial basis.

A committee of the Conference this afternoon discussed mandates. Complete secrecy is being maintained regarding the course of the deliberations.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Oct. 23.—Although the deliberations of the Imperial Conference in London are being carried on with closed doors, it is understood that agreement in principle, has been reached on the following points:

1.—There is no reason to modify the constitutional limits to diplomatic independence. Canada alone retains the right to have her own Ambassador at Washington.

2.—It has been decided not to send General Smuts on a mission to Germany.

3.—All the Dominions approve the plan for the construction of a naval base at Singapore and are considering the manner of their participation.

4.—All the Dominions claim protection, but that the conditions offered to the Mother Country in exchange appear to be insufficient.

5.—The Dominions urge the Postmaster-General to hasten the conclusion of an agreement with the Marconi company.

Shanghai Bankers' Body In Protest On Customs Surplus

As a result of recently published reports that the Consortium Ministers at Peking have addressed a memorandum to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs protesting that the Customs Surplus should not be used as security for internal loans and calling for an explanation as to the Government's intentions regarding security for foreign debts, the Shanghai Bankers' Association and the Native Banks' Association have sent the following telegram of protest to the Inspector General of Customs:

"We are surprised to learn from newspaper reports that the consortium Ministers at Peking addressed a memorandum to the Waichiaopu protesting that the earmarking of the entire custom surplus for China's internal loans would preclude the use of same as security for any other general debt, and requesting immediate explanation as to the intention of the Chinese Government in respect of employment in future of the surplus revenue towards the payment of foreign debts and obligations.

"It is to the knowledge of the

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FESSENDEN IS ELECTED TO CHAIRMANSHIP OF COUNCIL

Prominent American Lawyer Honored Here

His many friends will hear with pleasure of the election yesterday unanimously, of Mr. Stirling Fessenden as Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council, to succeed Mr. H. G. Simms, who recently left for home.

Mr. Fessenden was born at Fort Fairfield, Maine, September 29, 1875, son of Nicholas and Laura (Stirling) Fessenden, and attended private and public schools at Fort Fairfield, preparing for college. He matriculated in 1892 in Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine. After graduation he entered New York City Law School, graduating in 1900 and afterward being admitted to the practice of law.

Mr. Fessenden commenced the practice of law in Shanghai in 1905, associating with the late Hon. Thomas R. Jernigan, a former Consul General, under the firm name of Jernigan and Fessenden, and continued with Mr. Jernigan until the latter's death in 1920.

Mr. Fessenden is now the dean of the American bar in Shanghai, President of the Far Eastern American Bar Association, chairman of the Board of Directors of THE CHINA PRESS, and senior member of the firm of Fessenden and Holcomb, representing many large and important interests. He has been a member of the Shanghai Municipal Council for nearly five years, most of the time being Chairman of the important Watch Committee. Incidentally it may be added, he is a member of all of the major Shanghai clubs which possibly accounts for his bachelorship.

DEATH SENTENCE COMMUTED TO JAIL FOR LIFE

British Minister Saves Indian Murderer From Hanging

Sir Ronald Macleay, the British Minister to Peking, yesterday saved a man's life.

The British Minister, who with Lady Macleay arrived in Shanghai a few days ago on a short visit, yesterday reprieved Shagamon S. K. Hcosien, the native of Swat who was convicted of the murder of a fellow Indian on the s.s. Macedonia and sentenced to death in his second trial. The Minister commuted the death sentence to imprisonment for life at hard labor.

The appeal for a reprieve was circulated by the China Coast Officer's Guild and was signed by a large number of Shanghai's most prominent British subjects.

The appeal made to Sir Ronald was as follows:

His Majesty's Minister,
British Legation, Peking.
Shanghai, Oct. 9, 1923.

We, the undersigned, do hereby respectfully appeal to your-

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America Insists On 'Open Door' In Tangiers Parleys

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Oct. 24.—The State Department today issued instructions to the American Ambassadors at London, Paris and Madrid to notify the governments of England, France and Spain that the United States insists upon the maintenance of the 'open door' policy with reference to the negotiations concerning Tangiers.

No Alarm Is Felt On Rubber Market

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—Mr. Zorn, speaking at a meeting of the Rubber Shareholders' Association in London today, said that the most striking feature of the whole position was the way the price of rubber had steadied. An unknown factor was future American consumption, but he saw no ground for alarm.

Heads Council

STIRLING FESSENDEN

BANDITS SACK RAIL STATION; FIRE ON TRAIN

Peking-Hankow Express Flees Before Attack Of Brigands

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Oct. 24.—The Peking Daily News reports that 500 bandits yesterday morning sacked Kuanting Station, to the south of Chengchow. The express from Hankow, arrived at Kuanting during the raid but retreated. The bandits fired on the train. The bullets struck but did not damage the engine. Troops were sent to Kuanting very soon after the raid and fighting ensued throughout the morning, resulting in the bandits being driven off.

According to an official report, the station-master and his family are missing from Kuanting.

The express is expected in Peking this morning. The afternoon train from Hankow has also failed to arrive.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Oct. 24.—The Hankow trains reached Peking early this morning. Traffic on the Peking-Hankow line is again normal.

Later reports show that the bandits numbered about 3,000. It is believed that they were under the leadership of the notorious Lao Yang-jen who formerly served General Chao Ti. The raid occurred in the afternoon. Troops quickly arrived from Tehshenschiao and a brisk fight ensued lasting until late at night and ending in the defeat of the bandits. The casualties are unknown but a sergeant of the railway guards was fatally wounded when the bandits first fired. The Chinese station master and his family were carried off and the station was looted.

No confirmation has hitherto been received of an early report that this was the band holding the lady missionaries. It seems probable, however, from various reports that the bandits intended to hold up the Hankow express which obtained timely warning.

FORMATION OF NEW PARTY IN U. S. PLANNED

Progressives Call Conference To Discuss Elections Next Year

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Omaha, Oct. 24.—The National Progressive Party, which contains within its ranks many of the leading independent progressives in the United States, has called a conference to convene here on November 20.

Leaders among the Farmer-Labor party including Senators Magnus Johnson and Hendrik Shipstead of Minnesota as well as numerous other outstanding progressives and liberals have been invited to discuss the possibilities and probabilities of a third party in the coming election.

It is also the intention of the promoters of the conference to attempt to give the supporters of Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Senator Hiram Johnson of California and possibly Governor Gifford Pinchot of Pennsylvania an opportunity to amalgamate forces and back one candidate in the coming election.

GERMANY CHAOTIC WITH SEPARATISTS AND REDS BATTLING GOVERNMENT

Heavy Casualties Reported In Clash At Hamburg But Police Gain Control; Separatists Unable To Consolidate Rhineland Towns; Thousands Of Ruhr Workers Thrown Out Of Employment

Reports filtering in yesterday from many sections of Germany indicate an almost unparalleled state of internal confusion, with fighting and heavy casualties in several places.

In the Rhineland, the Separatist movement is making headway in some sections, while in others it is suffering setbacks.—Aix-La-Chapelle has been lost to the Separatists after a battle with Trade Unionists, as has Coblenz.

Many industries in the Ruhr are being closed down and thousands of workers are being dismissed, adding to the great army of unemployed.

In Hamburg and its suburbs Communists have started the most serious riots since the "Red" disturbances of 1918. Known casualties already run into the hundreds, but after a vigorous battle the police are said to have gained control of the situation.

Saxony and Bavaria are both reported to be defiant of the Reich, although a dispatch from French sources states that Bavarian troops will assist forces from Prussia in a campaign directed against Saxony.

Hamburg Scene Of Bloody Riot

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 23.—The economic turmoil is increasing Dr. Stresemann's preoccupations. Strikes have already broken out among shipyard workers at Hamburg and coalminers in Central Germany for increased wages. Berlin workers have jointly threatened a strike within three days failing the introduction of a scheme of payment in stable currency.

A telegram from Essen states that the Thyssen works at Hamborn have closed down owing to financial difficulties, idling 13,000 workers.

Bakeries in the capital have been looted.

The Government has prohibited the display of the Red flag.

Herr Kanitz, a member of the Reichstag, has been appointed Minister of Food.

The Nationalists demand the resignation of the Cabinet.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 23.—The riots at Hamburg are the most serious since 1918. Communists incited the populace and erected barricades in the suburbs. Fierce fighting continues. The casualties are serious. All works in the harbor are at a standstill. The railway between Hamburg and Luebeck was torn up to prevent the Reichswehr from reaching Hamburg, but it was repaired almost immediately. The center of the city is quiet and patrolled by police.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 23.—It has been ascertained that up to the present seven police have been killed and 19 seriously wounded at Hamburg. The rioters suffered severely. The police have removed 14 dead and 103 wounded.

Fighting broke out afresh at Barmbeck and Dehnheide, suburbs of Hamburg, this afternoon. Communists fired from roof-tops. The police took vigorous counter-action, and are now completely in control of the situation.

Steamer Sends S.O.S.; All Hands Are Lost, Belief

(Reuter's Service)

Newport, News, Oct. 23.—The British steamer Westmoreland, from Boston, with a crew of 80 officers and men, today sent out an S. O. S. which broke off in the middle of a message. It is feared that all on board have perished.

South Africa Loan Is Oversubscribed

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—The Union of South Africa Loan of £9,000,000 at 99½, with interest at five percent, has been over-subscribed.

Separatists Gain And Lose

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 24.—Reports from the Rhineland show that the separatist movement has made headway in some quarters and suffered numerous setbacks, notably at Aix-la-Chapelle, Mayence and elsewhere. The Nationalists and trade-unionists are the principal opponents of the movement. Fighting has occurred at different places with a toll of casualties.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Oct. 24.—The slow spread of the movement is apparently due to a lack of coordination between the different separatist parties rather than the comparative indifference of the local populations. Important developments, however, are possible.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 24.—The Belgian authorities have issued drastic martial law regulations at Aix-la-Chapelle.

The separatists have been driven out of the Government buildings in Coblenz.

The French have taken over the policing of Mayence, where the separatists occupy the Government buildings.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 23.—The separatists have occupied Bonn, Wiesbaden, Treves and Duisburg. Two persons were wounded in a skirmish at Bonn.

The trade-unions have declared a general strike at Wiesbaden.

The separatist movement hitherto lacks homogeneity, apparently through the divergent attitudes of the leaders, Herren Smeets, Matthes, Dorten and Deckers.

Disturbances today occurred at Hamburg over discontent as a result of food prices. Crowds plundered food shops and stormed captured police-stations, but were later ejected by reinforcements.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 23.—The separatists have been expelled from Aix-la-Chapelle by the trade unionists. After severe handling. The flags of the Rhenish Republic were hauled down and burnt in the streets, the people signing patriotic songs. The Belgians remained neutral.

A crowd stormed the town hall at Muenchen-Gladbach and expelled the separatists, who took refuge in a restaurant and fired on the crowd, wounding several persons. Thereupon police disarmed the separatists, who disappeared. The Belgians here were also neutral.

(Reuter's Service)

Cologne, Oct. 23.—The British zone is very quiet. It has not been affected by the separatist movement.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Oct. 24.—The separatists at Coblenz have taken possession of the palace of the burgomaster. The Prefect of Police has pro-

missed not to order the police to use their weapons.

(Reuter's Service)

Coblenz, Oct. 24.—The executive committee of the separatist party has elected Herren Matthes and Dorten to act as a Directory with full powers.

(Reuter's Service)

Mayence, Oct. 24.—A new attempt to establish a Rhenish Republic did not succeed owing to the hostility of the workers.

Martial law has been proclaimed and curfew has been introduced at Wiesbaden.

(Reuter's Service)

Dresden, Oct. 23.—A committee of action has been formed, empowered to call a general strike in Saxony.

(Reuter's Service)

Munich, Oct. 23.—General von Lossow has sent a wireless despatch to Reichswehr garrisons throughout Germany appealing to them to rally to the Bavarian Government and the defence of oppressed Germany.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 23.—The Vossische Zeitung reports from Gelsenkirchen that yesterday's negotiations between the Ruhr magnates and the French authorities broke down. The Industrialists declared that resumption of work was impossible on the French terms.

(Exclusive China Press)

London Oct. 24.—The Premier of Bavaria, in a statement issued today, declares that Bavaria can no longer remain united with Germany, according to an Exchange telegram dispatched from Berlin this afternoon.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Oct. 24.—It is reported from Essen that all industries except the mines have dismissed their workers. Eighteen thousand workmen are affected at Gelsenkirchen alone.

(Reuter's Service)

Cologne, Oct. 24.—In order to ensure the supply of coal to the Regie railways, the French have taken over five mines at Recklinghausen and elsewhere. Wages will be paid in confiscated German money.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, October 23.—The Reparations Commission met this afternoon to consider various questions relating to the deliveries which can be demanded by virtue of the treaty. M. Delacroix, the Belgian delegate, communicated to the Commission a report by German experts on the Belgian technical studies, which was submitted for examination to the Financial Section. The Commission was also sounded on the subject of the forthcoming communication of a German Note.

The Journal des Debats thus defines the French opinion in face of events, for which, the Journal states, the Directors of the Reich who have sown demoralisation and anarchy in the country are alone responsible: "We shall remain spectators of Teutonic anarchy until there arrive in power honest folk resolved to renounce the errors of their predecessors and vigorously to rebut chauvinistic tendencies. If in the interval there arise at our gates changes favourable to local restoration of order and to our general security, we shall take note of it."

The Rhenish Separatists have proclaimed a Republic at Treves where the officials have accepted the new power, as well as in the surrounding districts. The same thing has happened at Bonn where the German police has not been disarmed, as Berlin states, but is continuing its duties. At Wiesbaden, in case of the refusal of the State Police to carry out their duties, French troops, who have intervened nowhere else, had to assure the maintenance of order.

Herr Guthardt, a member of the provisional Government at Aix-la-Chapelle told a correspondent of the Belgian newspaper, Le Soir, that the Senaratist movement was independent and outside the influence of France and Belgian and essentially of the Reich.

A military communique issued yesterday at Berlin announces that Western Saxony will be reduced by Prussian, Wurtemberg, and Bavarian troops which are debouching respectively from Dresden, Leipzig and Hof. The Temps states that this plan of operation gives the impression that the conflict between the Prussian and Bavarian militarists is not very bitter as they are co-operating fraternally against Saxony.

The Temps considers that "if the Reich collapses it will be under the affect of the monetary crisis much rather than under the blows of particularism. Whilst it only needs 505.000 roubles to make a gold rouble today, it takes 872.000.000 paper marks to make a gold mark. The floating debt of the Reich increased between October 17 and 19 from 228.000.000.000.000 to 319.000.000.000.000 marks. Practically, the fiscal revenue of the Reich no longer exists as it scarcely covers 2-1000ths (2) of the expenditure.

TWO LIVES LOST IN POOTUNG FIRE, IS LAST REPORT

Death Toll In Disastrous Blaze Lighter Than First Feared

Two lives were lost, so far as could be ascertained up to last night, in the fire which swept the Lan Nee Doo district in Pootung Tuesday night. It was feared during the outbreak, which originated in the Yung Chong match factory and completely destroyed a mass of buildings in a strip half a mile long and about a quarter of a mile wide, that the loss of life had been much heavier. Search of the debris yesterday, however, revealed only the body of the eight-year-old son of one of the factory workers, while a later report told of one more death. The child was in a hut near the factory and was evidently trapped in the building when the match works exploded.

The Customs fire float remained on the scene until 9 o'clock yesterday morning and the Settlement brigade's float remained until 6 o'clock last evening, protecting the foreign godowns along the river side and pouring streams upon the still burning phosphorus. Some of this was burning last night, but the firemen had managed to submerge most of the tins of chemical by building up the ground around it and flooding the damned-up space. It was feared that this lot might break into flame again, however, when the fire float had gone.

The match factory losses were estimated yesterday at about $150,000, while the insurance is said to have been in the neighborhood of Tls. 50,000. The other losses it is impossible to estimate, but over 300 houses, shops and Chinese warehouses were completely destroyed.

The saving of the foreign godowns was fortunate in view of the stiff wind and the wild character of the fire, and was due to the prompt measures taken by the China Navigation Company's Pootung staff, combined with the fire-fighting forces under Chief Officer Pett, Station Officer Gilhooly and others of the International brigade, Deputy Superintendent Woodfield, who brought over the Customs float, and the Pootung officials.

Many of the firemen had narrow escapes from the exploding chemicals and there was a lengthy tabulation of burned uniforms and boots yesterday. The blaze is described as one of the most dangerous to handle which has occurred in some time.

New Parley Asked By General Smuts

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militarisation of Europe. "People here are already beginning to be seriously alarmed about French armaments on land and in the air. The French Government has also lent large sums to the smaller States around Germany, mainly with a view to feeding their ravenous military appetites."

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 24.—"Sensational, impressive, powerful and grave" are among the adjectives applied by the morning papers to General Smuts's speech, which was available too late for much detailed comment. Nevertheless its salient points are featured by all the papers and are certain to provoke considerable discussion, especially when coupled with the speech by the American Ambassador, Colonel Harvey, yesterday evening, in which he declared that there need be no question of his Government's willingness to participate in a conference on the question of German reparations, if requested to do so by all the Powers chiefly concerned.

Such comment as has hitherto appeared cordially welcomes General Smuts's analysis and proposals and pays a tribute to his sincerity. The only criticism levelled concerns what the papers consider his tendency to under-estimate Germany's own share of responsibility for the present situation. His appeal to America is wholeheartedly approved.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—General Smuts in an important pronouncement at a banquet in London on the European policy of the British Empire, advocated a conference of all the Powers interested in reparations and appealed to the United States to take part.

(Reuter's Service)

Referring to the military hysteria sapping the depleted financial resources of the peoples, General Smuts pointed out that the black hordes of Africa had been called in to redress the moral and political balance of this mother continent of civilisation. Human principles everywhere had been degraded.

Finally, the speaker appealed to France to resume her noble and historical mission as the great bearer of liberal tradition in Europe.

Rebel Stronghold In Morocco Taken

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Oct. 23.—It is reported from Morocco that the Ouezzan Flying Column on October 21, attacked the village of Ain Bou Aissa Handane, north of Taroual, which the rebels had fortified, but had to evacuate. This occupation of the Beni Merguilda country brought about the submission of nine villages, represented 150 homes.

ADMIRAL LINE ENGAGES NOTED U. S. JAZZ BANDS

President Liners Carrying College And Hotel Orchestras

Mr. Jeff Holzer, the diminutive and popular purser on the Admiral Liner President Grant now in port, has a standing bet of three schooners of beer to be drunk in the Sahara desert that the orchestra on board the Grant is the peer of all jazz bands on the Pacific.

During the summer vacations the various Admiral liners gave numerous collegians a chance to see the Pacific countries and spend a vacation in the Far East by installing college jazz bands on the ships. Sanger during the past few months has had an opportunity of hearing most of them in action.

With the schools opening again, however, some of the college orchestras have been replaced with some famous hotel orchestras from the United States and the Grant has the Glacier Hotel orchestra from the Glacier National Park on board this trip. Mr. Holzer says it didn't invent jazz but it's responsible for most of the syncopated improvements.

The President Madison brings the University of Pennsylvania orchestra and Sear's Orchestra of Seattle arrives on the President McKinley. On the President Jackson's next trip Roemer's Inland Empire orchestra from Spokane will play, and Carmody's orchestra of Tacoma will be aboard the President Jefferson on its next trip. Beginning in January the Admiral liners will carry Anderson's orchestra from the Troutdale Hotel, Evergreen, Colorado; the Detroit University band, Barland's Californians from the Waldorf Hotel, San Diego, and the orchestra from the H. F. Alexander, the famous Admiral liner coaster.

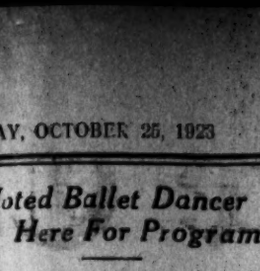
Noted Ballet Dancer Here For Program

Five Russian artists whose reputations as first caliber have been acknowledged by leading American newspapers arrived in Shanghai yesterday and will appear at the Olympic Theater in the near future.

Xenia Maklezowa, former prima ballerina at the Ruesian Imperial Theater in Moscow and the Metropolitan Theater in New York, and leading dancer with Serge de Diaghileff's Ballet Russe, which was the hit of New York, heads the troupe. New York and Boston newspaper critics were full some in their praise of her dancing which they asserted was equalled only by Pavlowa herself.

The other artists include D. Bines, her dancing partner; Serge Maklezow, pianist; Mme. Tumanskaya, soprano, and Joseff A. Komissarjevsky, impressario.

The Tientsin and Peking papers have highly praised their recent performances in the North. They will appear at the Olympic on October 30 and November 2.



Not How Much, But How Often

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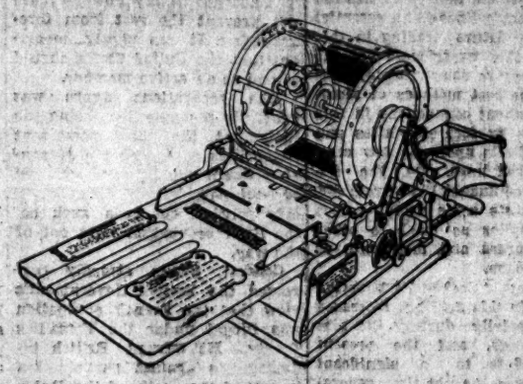

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DEAL IN BOOTS IN VLADIVOSTOK ENDS IN COURT

Russian Politics Plays Chief Role In Suit For Yen 22,476

A complicated business deal in which the changing government at Vladivostok played an important part began to be unravelled in the British Supreme Court before Sir Skinner Turner yesterday when the trial of Shakur A. Tbraginoff against the Siberian Agricultural Corporation, Ltd., for the recovery of Yen 22,476 began.

The plaintiff is suing on the allegation that in March or April, 1922, he delivered to defendants at Vladivostok for storage and safe-keeping 5,619 pairs of American made boots. The defendants, the claim alleges, agreed to store them subject to plaintiff's order and the usual warehouse charges. At a subsequent date, however, it is alleged the boots were sold to third parties for the amount sued for.

The defendant's admit that the goods were delivered to them but not by the plaintiff in the action. They allege the goods were delivered to them because they were a British corporation and the conditions then prevailing at Vladivostok made it much safer. Otherwise the goods would have been seized. As a matter of fact, defendant claims, the goods were later actually seized by the Bolsheviks

Numerous witnesses are to be heard for both sides and the case is expected to occupy several days.

DEATH SENTENCE COMMUTED TO JAIL FOR LIFE

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self as His Majesty's representative, to exercise your clemency in the case of Shagamon H. K. Hoosien, an Indian subject of His Majesty, and who now lies under sentence of death at H. M. Prison Shanghai, for the killing of a compatriot on board the str. Macedonia on August 30, 1923, and whilst the named vessel was on the high seas.

In submitting this appeal for the considerate attention of yourself, we would, with due deference, urge the following points in the prisoner's favor:

(1) The jury empanelled at the first trial could not agree on their verdict and were discharged.

(2) The prisoner bears an excellent character.

(3) No motive has been assigned or proven for the act for which the prisoner has been condemned to death.

(4) The deceased and the prisoner had always been the closest of friends.

(5) The prisoner's habit of drug taking, whilst not primarily responsible for the crime, must have had some effect on his mental system at the time of his taking the deceased's life; this is borne out by his meaningless statements at the time of his arrest.

In presenting this appeal for your consideration, we would, therefore, respectfully ask that the relative importance which we attach to the foregoing enumerated points, be taken into careful account and that the sentence of death passed on the prisoner be commuted.

Parliament Will Meet Tomorrow

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Oct. 22.—A report that the War Participation Loan has recently been under discussion is semi-officially denied.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, October 22.—The two Houses of Parliament are expected to hold their first extraordinary meeting on October 26th. The first matter to be discussed is likely to be the Gold Franc Problem.

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Shanghai Bankers Join In Protest

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whole country that the Customs surplus has been reserved for the internal service. When the Diplomatic Corps broached this matter in last December, Chambers of Commerce and Bankers' Associations in this and other cities took the occasion to wire to the Central Government advising the latter to provide prompt measures for the solution of the problem of unsecured foreign and domestic loans. Now as the Financial Reorganisation Committee has been organised, it will certainly devise means to settle all unsecured foreign debts. We wonder the Diplomatic Corps should be so impatient as to protest.

"This news has been received with great alarm by the general public. The bonds of domestic loans of the Chinese Government are distributed throughout the whole country. Their standing ultimately affects the position of principal financial markets, not to say that it concerns in a large extent the standard of living of many individuals. Should the security be in any way endangered, not only financial markets but the peace of society will be seriously disturbed. Moreover, a large quantity of these bonds are held by foreigners. In case they became worthless, would foreign bond-holders remain silent?

"We view this matter with great concern and have wired to Dr. Yen of the Financial Reorganisation Committee requesting him to ask the Ministry of Finance and of Foreign Affairs to promptly devise means for the solution of the problem of unsecured foreign loans and at the same arrange for the holding of the meeting to discuss the increase of Customs Duty as provided in the Washington Conference so that there will be additional revenue to secure foreign loans. We would never allow the security of internal loans to be violated thus creating fresh trouble while the old one is unsolved as yet. You are responsible for the security of Chinese National loans. It is you that the public places confidence in domestic loan bonds. We hope that you will not fail the public confidence that holders of domestic bonds may not incur any loss.

"It is plainly provided in the terms of different internal loan issues that the Customs surplus is specially reserved as their security. Therefore internal loans have preferred claim on the surplus over all other loans of the Chinese Government. When we examine the agreements of those foreign loans as mentioned by the Diplomatic Corps, we find that they are all secured on something else. If their securities became worthless at present, it is the fault of the Central Government. There can be no reason why we holders of internal bonds should suffer loss on their account. We refuse to acknowledge the claim of the Diplomatic Corps that foreign loans have preference over internal loans in the question of security, and we beg you to consider this matter seriously. (Signed) The Chinese Bankers' Association, and The Native Banks' Association.

QUESTIONNAIRE IS SENT ADMIRAL TU AT PEKING

Captain Kearny Remains At Liberty On G. $4,000 Bonds

Further progress toward a final decision in the two cases in which Captain L. D. Kearny is charged with importing arms and ammunition into China from Russian refugee ships at Woosung and at Gensan, Korea, was made yesterday when U. S. District Attorney Leonard G. Husar and Mr. C. S. Franklin mailed their questionnaire to American Legation officials in Peking with the request that they present the questions and cross-questions to Admiral Tu.

The Commander-in-Chief of the Chinese Navy is considered a vital witness for the defense and when it became impossible for Mr. Husar and Mr. Franklin to go to Peking at this time it was agreed to request the Admiral to give his deposition in the form of a written questionnaire.

Captain Kearny, who was ordered to secure new bonds for G. $4,000 by Judge Charles S. Lobingier when two of his bondsmen withdrew on Monday, secured one of the bonds on Tuesday and the other was justified yesterday.

Admiral Tu's deposition is expected to be returned to Shanghai during the week-end and it is hoped final argument in both cases will be made on Tuesday.

Port Of London Gains Tonnage

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—The Port of London Authority's annual report for the year ending March 31, 1923, shows that shipping with a total tonnage of 30,028,000 tons entered and left during the year, an increase of 4,298,000 tons compared with the previous year, including 22,952,000 tons of foreign shipping, an increase of 2,905,000 tons compared with last year.

The total revenue of the Port of London Authority for the year amounted to £6,219,000, and expenditure to £4,682,000.

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WHAT HEDGING IS

A reader of the commercial column desires to know what "Hedging" means when used so freely by Reuter's Agency in the cotton reports from America. Hedging is buying or selling to lessen a possible loss. Hedging on cotton is similar to hedging on stocks and shares, wheat or any other commodity dealt in on a speculative market. On the stock market if a speculator purchased a hundred shares in any company in anticipation of a rise, and, instead of advancing, the stock began to decline with indications of a still greater recession the owner of the hundred shares could "hedge" by selling his stock and then going "short" another hundred shares, hoping thereby to make enough to offset his loss already sustained and possibly make a profit.

Hedging on cotton is of course similar to hedging in shares or any other commodity. If the person or company hedging on cotton is a manufacturer who has purchased the cotton and uses it as raw material to be manufactured into a finished product, the hedging would be the same as in the case of stocks and shares.

Troops Edge Closer To Fengtien Border

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Oct. 22.—According to an official telegram from Mukden, Chihli troops recently moved towards Shanhaikuan from Changli, which was agreed upon as the most northern point to be occupied by the Chihli troops. The Fengtien troops were then ordered to move southward beyond the Fengtien limitations.

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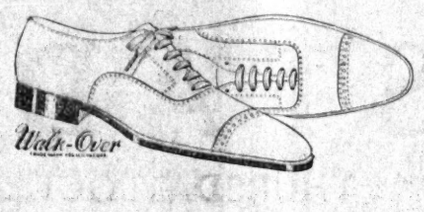

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News Brevities

The ballroom of the Hotel Parisien has been closed for redecorating. It will be reopened in about a week, the date to be announced later.

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A lecture will be given at the Theosophical Hall, 29 Avenue Edward VII. today at 6 p.m., when Miss D. Arnold will speak on "The coming of a World-Teacher." The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Mr. W. T. Whalen, Manager of the Far Eastern Division of the General Motors Export Co., accompanied by Mr. Hubert S. Honigsberg and Mr. W. D. Hopson, has left for an extended inspection of the Northern territories.

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Mr. Harry Leon Wilson, the well known American novelist and short story writer is now visiting in Hongkong and Canton. It is not known whether or not he is coming to Shanghai.

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Newspapers received on the s.s. President Grant show that the first pictures of the Japanese earthquake, taken by the International News Service, were printed in the Hearst papers in New York on September 20. They were rushed to the United States from Japan by ship, train and airplane.

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Mrs. Lockwood, wife of Mr. W. W. Lockwood of the Y.M.C.A. is a passenger on the President Grant sailing for the South today. Mr. Lockwood, who is now attending the Y.M.C.A. convention at Canton, will join Mrs. Lockwood at Hongkong and go on to Manila.

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A number of the wives of Navy officers who have been spending the summer in Shanghai are sailing on the President Grant today to rejoin their husbands at Manila.

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Mr. Norman Fulton of Messrs. Wm. Forbes and Co., recently took over the duties of honorary secretary of the British Chamber of Commerce, Mukden; relieving Mr. W. S. Bungey, who has come to Shanghai.

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The marriage of a son of General Tien Chung-yu, ex-tuchun of Shantung, which was arranged for Nov. 3, at the Tuchun's yamen at Tsinan, will take place in Tientsin on that day, as his resignation has entailed the removal of his family from Tsinan to Tientsin.

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General Ostrumoff, Director of the Chinese Eastern at Harbin, has been granted a two month's furlough, according to the Nippon Dempo service. His leave is considered as the prelude to his resignation after pressure upon him by Chang Tso-lin and the Soviet Government at Moscow.

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Over 1,000 Russians, most of them former "Whites," have just left Harbin to return to Russia. They were forced to leave Harbin because of the lack of work.

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Mrs. M. Louise Browne, owner of the famous embroidery works in Manila, the largest in the world employing three thousand workers, is in Shanghai on a short visit accompanied by her daughter.

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Mrs. H. S. Honigsberg, who has been absent from Shanghai for a considerable period on a trip to Europe and the United States, is expected to return on the President McKinley.

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Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Virginia Way went to Peking on the noon express yesterday. Mrs. Way and her daughter have just returned from the United States on the President Grant and were met here by Mr. Way.

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Mr. Richard Irving, clerk at the Palace Hotel, was transferred to the Astor House yesterday and will be behind the desk there in the future.

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The Hotel Parisien ballroom will be 'dark' for the next few days until Manager Charles Hannigs has succeeded in completely redecorating and rearranging the interior. Announcement of the reopening will be made in THE CHINA PRESS.

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Judgment for the defendant has been given in the Hongkong courts in the case in which Mr. W. P. Simpson, a tailor, sued the Astor House of Hongkong for $1,000 damages for wrongful distress in turning him out of the hotel and refusing him his clothing and false teeth when his bill was not paid.

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A new British Legation is to be built at Bangkok. The present Legation is in what is considered an unhealthy part of the city, and the new building will be in a higher and healthier part. The Office of Works state that the sum realised for the old site is sufficient to pay not only for the new one, but also the new building as well.

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The marriage is shortly to take place at Mukden of Miss H. M. Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wilkinson of the British Consulate General at Mukden, to Mr. A. L. Newman of the Chinese Customs Service, who has recently been transferred to Tientsin.

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Nanking Road between Shansi Road and Chekiang Road will be closed to all vehicles proceeding in a westerly direction from November 12 until the completion of the renewal of the tramway track, from midnight until 7 a.m. according to announcement in today's Municipal Gazette. Between 7 a.m. and midnight motor vehicles may use the road proceeding west.

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The Municipal Council has instructed the Acting Headmistress of the Public School for Girls to circularise the parents of all students concerning their approval or disapproval of a change in the present school hours, according to today's Municipal Gazette.

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Fire in a bootmakers shop at XA-523 North Fokien Road occupied about ten minutes' time of the Hongkew division of the brigade shortly after 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The damage was very slight. The blaze is supposed to have been caused by sparks from a cooking stove.

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Pres. Cleveland Takes Mail Saturday, Empress On Sunday

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The Cleveland is due in Shanghai from Hongkong tomorrow afternoon, and docking at the China Merchants' Central Wharf around 3 o'clock. The liner is scheduled to sail at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

The Asia will arrive at Woosung from Hongkong on Saturday noon, and the tender bringing inbound passengers from the ship is expected at the Customs jetty around 2:30 p.m., and the outgoing tender with passengers for Woosung will leave at 10:30 p.m. Saturday. The last tender conveying passengers to the Asia is to leave the Customs jetty at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning, and heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's godown before 3 p.m. tomorrow.

Bringing mail from the States, the President Pierce will arrive in Shanghai from San Francisco, Honolulu and Kobe this morning around 10 o'clock, and docking at the China Merchants Central Wharf. The vessel will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 10 a.m. tomorrow. The President Grant, which arrived from Seattle last Tuesday, and berthing at the C. M. Central Wharf, is to leave for Hongkong and Manila at 9 o'clock this morning.

Obituary

DR. ICHIRO IWATA

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Oct. 23 (delayed).—Dr. Ichiro Iwata, former Japanese legal adviser to the Chinese Government, died last night.

Brazilian Envoy League Delegate

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, October 23.—Senhor Souza Dantas, the former Brazilian Minister of Foreign Affairs, who is now Ambassador in Paris, has been appointed Brazilian representative on the League of Nations.

TO REPAIR U-BOAT

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Kobe, Oct. 24.—The refloated submarine has been towed here and is now in the Kawasaki Dockyard for repair and for investigation as to the cause of its sinking. Practically all the bodies have been recovered. There is every reason to believe that the submarine will be again seaworthy.

Greek Revolt Is Nearing Collapse

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, Oct. 24.—A general collapse of the counter-revolution seems imminent. Numerous arrests and surrenders are reported.

Colonel Plastiras, in a statement to the effect that he considers the movement in Macedonia to have ended, expresses the opinion that the same will be the case in the Peloponnesus within a day or two.

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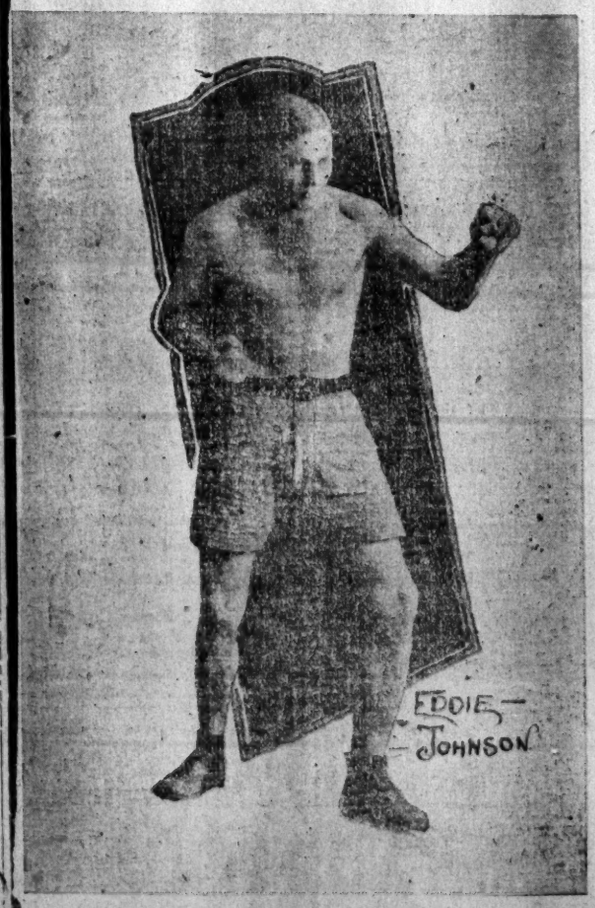

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HEAVIES TO DO BATTLE TONIGHT AT THE STADIUM

Eddie Johnson, Challenger Of Hansen, To Meet Belknap

Manager Sullivan of the Stadium, read Knute Hansen's excuse for sidestepping Eddie Johnson yesterday, and immediately "called" the aspirant for heavyweight honors. Knute had said that his declination of the offer for a go with Johnson was based on the fact that Johnson weighed but 160 pounds, and that a battle between himself and an opponent of that weight would be of no interest.

Mr. Sullivan characterised this as "complete bunk." Johnson, he says, weighs 185 pounds, and is thus clearly in the heavyweight class. He offers to prove this statement before any interested committee of sportsmen in town.

In the meantime Manager Jim is all set for his boxing show at the Stadium tonight, with Al Belknap, a heavy from New York, meeting Johnson in the main event. This will be the first heavyweight scrap staged in Shanghai since the boxing craze hit the city and ought to attract the boxing fans. In addition to the main event there will be four good preliminaries.

Prices for the show have been reduced, making three seeds the ton. General admission will be one smacker.

"Speaking of educating the public to like boxing," said Jim, "I will do a little educating myself. I can guarantee tonight's card as a hum dinger. Both these men are good."

The first prelim will be put on at 9:30 sharp.

Jascha Heifetz

Making his farewell appearance in Shanghai at the Town Hall last night, Jascha Heifetz, violin virtuoso, faced an audience even more enthusiastic than those which had greeted him on his three previous appearances here. From the spirit of the audience it was evident that lovers of good music in Shanghai were not content to let Mr. Heifetz depart without knowing that his visit here had brought them genuine enjoyment. Mr. Heifetz rewarded them with a program which gave full opportunity to judge his wondrous mastery of the violin.

The opening number, Symphonie Espagnole, was rendered with a perfection of technique which brought many in the audience to their feet with shouts of "Bravo." In Bach's Chaconne, played without accompaniment, however, scored even more, the tones of his instrument having a truly organ-like quality throughout.

After the interval Mr. Heifetz rendered a group of four numbers, most appealing of which was the Slavonic Dance in E Minor by Dvorak. So insistent was the storm of applause at its conclusion that Mr. Heifetz was forced to repeat it.

What was programed as the concluding number, Gypsy Airs by Sarasate, brought forth an almost equally impetuous round of applause. The youthful violinist was called to the platform again and again, and finally, when the audience refused to move from its seats, obliged with yet another encore.

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The Dog Watch

By Westa

EVER since it was announced that a boxing program was to be staged in the ball room of the New Carlton Shanghai's middle name has been Walla Walla. In the clubs, in hotel lobbies, in stores, offices and homes the question has caused more comment and excitement than baby's first tooth.

Some, apparently, are opposed to the move; but when you pin them down it is hard to discover anything tangible in their opposition. About the only argument they can muster is that "those who go to the Carlton to dance will object to having the place used as a boxing stadium."

Just why there should be any objection on that score is something of a mystery—just as it would be strange if the promoters of a "Volstead-for-president" club were to object to the use of, say, Madison Square Garden in New York, on the ground that it had been rented to anti-prohibitionists the night before for the organisation of a repeal movement.

Ten minutes after the bouts are concluded the Carlton will present its usual aspect, so that dancers, if they wish, may go on sashaying to the tune of Whitey Smith's tom toms as usual with absolutly nothing to remind them that Louie's chaste and classic ballroom had been "contaminated" by the presence of young men with calloused knuckles or ears as thick as a jaywalker's mental processes.

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AS a matter of fact the main idea of the promoters of the exhibition for Friday night is to break down the nebulous and what they believe to be the wholly baseless prejudices against boxing by staging their show under auspices which they hope will attract large numbers of those who for one reason or another are opposed to the ring sport as an institution.

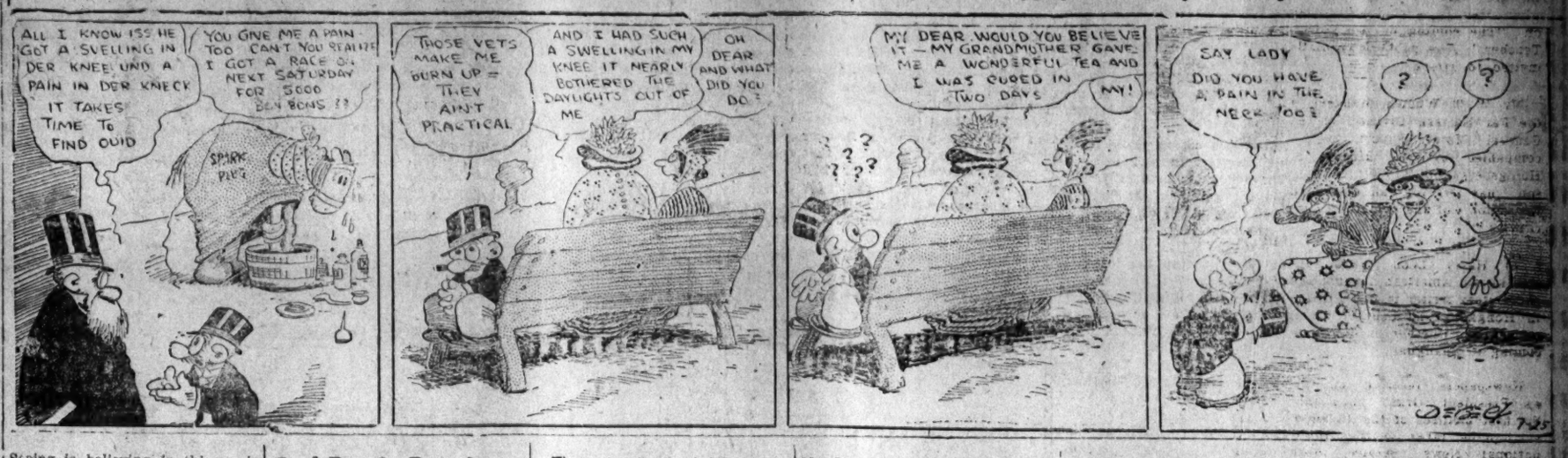
They figure that the best way to do this is to let the people see for themselves. They know, as all boxing fans know, that there is nothing brutal or debasing in boxing contests when the participants are properly matched and in proper physical condition.

Prejudices against boxing have been overcome in other communities and there is no reason why they should not be overcome here, so that a weekly "boxing night" may become a regular feature of the city's life.

A good suggestion, then, to those who are "again" boxing would be to make a point of seeing the show Friday night. Seeing is believing in this as in any public entertainment proposition.

Fair enough, hey?

BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck



RECORD FINE IS IMPOSED ON FOOTBALL CLUB

(Reuter's Service)

London, Oct. 23.—The largest fine in the history of football was imposed by the Scottish League Management Committee at its meeting at Glasgow this afternoon, when it fined Cowdenheath £1,000 for illegal payment to their goalkeeper. The Chairman of the Club was severely reprimanded and requested to resign.

2nd Day's Results At Tientsin Races

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tientsin, Oct. 24.—The following are the results of the second day of the Autumn Race Meeting here today:—

1.—The China Cup (one mile and a half).

Mr. Kamack's Dondook	1
Mr. H. O. B. G.'s Michael	2
Mr. M. A. Katz's Rhythm	3

Time: 3 minutes 19 4-5 secs.

2.—The Visitor's Cup (three quarters of a mile).

Mr. Penury's The Regent	1
Mount's Mount Maroy	2
Mr. Pete's Penland	*3
Messrs. Tipper and Fairchild's Sandcloud	*3

*Dead heat.

Time: 1 minute 34 1-5 secs.

3.—The Tientsin St. Leger (one mile and three quarters).

Mr. J. M. D.'s Rambler	1
Mr. Hokee's Dignity	2
Mr. S. Shimizu's Kagoshima	3

Time: 3 minutes 51 3-5 secs.

4.—The Chihli Cup (one mile and a quarter).

Mr. Penury's Meteor	1
Messrs. G. K. and T. E. W.'s Balerte	2
Mr. Penury's Aotea Kazoo	3

Time: 2 minutes 42 2-5 secs.

5.—The Hai-ho Cup (seven furlongs).

Mr. J. M. D.'s Symphony	1
Mr. Howell's Cobi Star	2
Mr. Carrick's Tientsin VIII	3

Time: 1 minute 49 seconds.

6.—The Criterion Stakes (one mile).

Mr. J. W. M.'s Kismet	1
Mr. Teddie's Hautboy	2
Mrs. Myron Simon's Minotaur	3

Time: 2 minutes 10 2-5 secs.

7.—The Hai Kwan Ssu Plate (one mile).

Mr. R. J. Paterson's September	1
Messrs. Davis and Shimizu's Nikko	2
Mr. Smith's Dainty	3

Time: 2 minutes 7 1-5 secs.

8.—The Tientsin Stakes (one mile and three quarters).

Mr. J. Burton's d'Artagnan	1
Mr. R. F. Stewart's Dorgony	2
Mr. Pete's Penbraze	3

Time: 3 minutes 52 2-5 secs.
Mr. Kamack's Mbondeah was first but was disqualified for crossing.

9.—The Autumn Cup (three quarters of a mile).

Mr. Nightlyne's Nights of Hope	1
Mr. Carrick's Sheila	2
Mr. D. T.'s Old Tom	3

Time: 1 minute 34 2-5 secs.

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Thirty Cent Cotton Is Seen In New York Trade

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Sept. 21.—Thirty cent cotton became a reality this week, somewhat sooner than even bulls had expected, although there has been a feeling for some time past that it was only a question of time before this level was reached. Its sudden advent on Wednesday was the direct result of adverse weather conditions in the southwest which alarmed speculators and mill interests alike and caused a violent buying movement that ran October up fully 100 points in a few minutes, reaching 30.30 before the rise was checked. Heavy rains fell throughout Texas and Oklahoma for several days, causing floods and retarding picking, as well as injuring the staple. It was feared that still further reductions might be necessary in crop estimates, and mills that had not supplied their nearby requirements became very much alarmed and bought futures as a protection. In fact, one local cotton man who has been making a tour of the South declared that in his opinion most of the strength and excitement of the week was due to a scramble for early receipts. Mills, he said, were extremely short of spot supplies and in some instances were literally besieging their shippers to get cotton before it was turned out from the gins, and added that the remarkable feature of the situation was that these same mills in quite a number of cases had goods on hand which were difficult of sale. It was the opinion of some that after this urgent demand for early cotton had been appeased reactions might be in order, and Southern advices stated that holders were letting cotton go freely at the new high levels which were several cents above the figure that they had considered satisfactory a week ago, and six to eight cents above the prices at which most of the crop west of the Mississippi was marketed in September 1922. The advance in cotton prices since the end July Government crop report has added upwards of $500,000,000 to the value of the South's principal crop, much of which, if high prices continue, will accure to the farmer, as the advance has come before the crop has left his hands.

In pointing out that the cotton industry faces a third consecutive shortage in American cotton production, the head of the American Cotton Association says that the total yield of American cotton for the past three years, 1920, 1921, and 1922, amounted to about 31,000,000 bales, whereas the consumption for the same period has approximated 36,000,000 bales. As surplus supplies which existed in such liberal quantity in 1920 have practically disappeared, he declares that the world's textile cotton industry now faces a shortage in the raw staple more serious than at any previous year since 1865. A careful investigation for the spinnable stocks of raw cotton in leading European textile countries, shows, he says, a shortage much more acute than the general information on the subject discloses, adding "when the real truth becomes known, the situation will present a crisis in cotton supplies never before experienced in the history of the textile industry."

An interesting story in connection with the jump in October cotton to 30.30 this week is that a certain big oil operator had been short of the market for some months evidently anticipating that the early movement of new cotton in the Southwest would exert a depressing effect on prices. Such calculations were upset by the sudden advent of a serious wet spell which alarmed mill interests and precipitated a runaway market that eventually compelled the operator to cover his line.

The cotton goods situation has undergone a considerable change as a result of the latest advance in raw cotton. Previously mills were selling quite freely for nearby delivery, refusing many requests for later shipment, but now all demand seems to have dropped off. Merchants are uncertain how the higher prices will be received by consumers and are disposed to hold off and await development. If futures hold, there may be a renewal of interest. One of the largest houses has announced prices on ginghams practically unchanged from their list a year ago. The tire people are still oversupplied with tires and until they can work these off, are not expected to be factors in the market.

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RUSSIAN GIVEN TLS. 600 DAMAGES IN TRAMWAY SUIT

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The plaintiff was represented by Mr. Tycho Wing and defendants by Mr. Lipson Ward.

In giving judgment the Court said: plaintiff is a Russian citizen suing in *in forma pauperis*. He asks for damages for personal injury sustained by him in a tramcar owing to negligence of defendant company. He alleges that he has received an electric shock which had affected him up to date and that his clothing was burned. It seems that the wire connecting the car with the trailer broke came down on the car near where the plaintiff was standing and there fused. There were two flashes. The lights went out. Plaintiff found that his coat was burnt and he subsequently complained of shock. The defendants do not deny the negligence, but they do put in issue the alleged results to the plaintiff himself. The case is one, therefore, of damages.

Plaintiff saw Police-Sgt. Mosling at the station that night (May 17) and the manager of the tramway company next morning (May 18). To neither did he make any complaint of personal injury. Yet on the afternoon of May 18 he saw Dr. Bary, and detailed certain symptoms to him with the result that the Doctor diagnosed traumatic neurosis. He put the plaintiff in the General Hospital for eight or nine days for observation and treatment. On May 30 a claim for damages was made on the Company in a letter which very considerably exaggerated the injuries alleged to have been sustained. On June 2 the plaintiff is considered by Dr. Bary to be not really better, save in one material respect; but on June 11 Dr. Lovett Cumming who examined him on behalf of the Company in the presence of Dr. Bary, failed to find the usual objective symptoms of the complaint. Dr. Bary however, speaks to finding them again towards the end of June, as did Dr. Renner in September. In the meantime, from about the end of June, steps are taken to enable plaintiff to bring the case. The usual formalities are gone through and on July 17 leave was given to issue a writ *in forma pauperis* and this was done on August 2. Mr. Wing was assigned as counsel for him and the case ultimately came on for trial on October 17.

In other words, accepting all the evidence given before me plaintiff was getting better at the beginning of June and showed none of the objective symptoms of traumatic neurosis in the middle of June, showed them all again when legal proceedings are in immediate prospect or are in progress, though I am bound to say he gave his evidence in Court without visible, if any, signs of nervousness at all. I cannot help regretting that Dr. Bary, who knew the result of Dr. Cumming's examination on June 11, did not communicate to him the recurrence of the symptoms later on in the month; but he did not, and no further examination was made by the Company on the plaintiff.

Now traumatic neurosis is a nervous disease, and it is well known that legal proceedings will and do retard recovery. I trust that the conclusion of the case will lead to speedy recovery. I think all the doctors agree that an electric shock and fright will produce that disease, and it seems to me that the events of that night did give a shock to the plaintiff and caused him fright. He was standing close to the spot where the fusing took place. His coat was burned (a patch as big as a man's hand). I do not see why that should not, by the next day, have produced in him enough symptoms to lead Dr. Bary to put him in hospital. And I decline to find that doctor and the plaintiff began a conspiracy to defraud the defendant company on the afternoon of May 18, just as I decline to hold that Dr. Cumming made a perfunctory, valueless examination on June 11. But one must apply commonsense to this divergent evidence of experts, and when one knows what nervous diseases are and what affects them it seems to me that explanation is thus found. We know that one important symptom (restricted [illegible] had gone on June 2: we are told that the heart's action does vary in these cases from day to day; and to me that affords sufficient explanation for much of the divergence. Then on a careful reading of Dr. Cumming's report of his evidence, it seems to me he was in reality satisfied of some injury on May 17—he calls it "a case of simple traumatic neurosis due chiefly to fright;" one "which will remain *in statu quo* till the case is settled;" but "the effect is only temporary." I think anxiety has increased symptoms or retarded memory, and looking at the case in that way and realising that the plaintiff did not lose his job on account of the accident, but that he has undoubtedly suffered pain and discomfort and incurred expenses, I assess damages at Tls. 600, and give them to him for that amount with usual costs that can be recovered in a case of this sort. The money in Court must be paid out.

Mr. Ward asked if the money in Court Tls. 200, was to be paid over to the plaintiff in part satisfaction of the judgment to which the Court replied in the affirmative.

Mutiny Is Staged At Hsuchow, Report

(Eastern News Agency)

Hankow, Oct. 24.—According to a telegram that reached the bureau of the Peking-Hankow Railway here yesterday, troops under the command of Lao Yan-jen mutinied on the 22nd near Hsuchow. In consequence, the 24th Division has immediately hastened to subjugate the mutinied troops, who are, it is reported, fleeing along the Tientsin-Pukow and Lunghai lines. Martial law has been proclaimed in the region along the Peking-Hankow line and the Shensi troops are now proceeding to subjugate the outlaws.

Favor Promotion Of Kao Ling-wei

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Oct. 22.—With regard to the Cabinet, the majority of the Government authorities are now said to be in favor of promoting Mr. Kao Ling-wei from "Tsai" Premier to "Shuai" Premier pending the selection of a suitable person to form a permanent Cabinet. It is believed that a mandate to this effect will be issued shortly.

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Apology Is Demanded Of Soviet For Kidnaping Of Customs Officals

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Shanghai, Oct. 24.—Reuter's Harbin correspondent, writing on the 19th instant, says that Mr. P. M. Crockett, newly appointed Assistant in charge of the Chinese Customs at Manchuria Station was making a tour ofinspection in an automobile, accompanied by another Customs official and a soldier of the local Chinese Guard a few days ago when, the car having reached the Genghis Khan Ditch which marks the frontier the party was halted from the Russian side by Russian soldiers who demanded that the party should cross the frontier to them. Mr. Crockett replied that he would not do so, whereupon the Russian soldiers threatened to fire. They were told that they might do so if they wished, but that the party would not cross over to them. The Russian soldiers began firing in the air and this brought twelve Russian cavalrymen to the spot. The latter surrounded the car and took the car and its four occupants to 86th verst on the Russian side of the frontier, just beyond Manchuria Station. There the Russians ordered their prisoners to walk with them to Mayzlevaksia, on Russian territory about twelve versts farther on. The prisoners refused to comply and were finally escorted in the car to that place, where they were put in gaol.

The Commandant of the Chinese Guard stationed at Mayzlevaksia telephoned a report to the Commandant at Manchuria Station, and a demand was sent to the Bolsheviks that the prisoners be released at once. The demand was supported by holding up a train about to leave Manchuria Station for the Trans-Baikal. The prisoners were then allowed to return to Manchuria after which the train was permitted to proceed.

The Chinese Authorities then, at the instigation of M. d'Anjou, Customs Commissioner at Harbin, demanded that the Bolsheviks should return the arms they had taken from the prisoners, punish the Russian frontier guard who had captured them and make proper apologies for the affair.

To this the Soviet representatives at Manchuli, Pochvalinsky, made a counter-demand that the party captured be punished as well as the officer at Manchuli who had detained the train.

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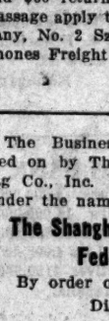

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62725

Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1923

8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each
(issued at Tls. 97 each)

Rate of interest 6% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

1°.—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates, shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each

3°.—The Debentures will be redeemable at par (Tls. 100 each) in not less than 10 years and not more than 30 years, from 1st December 1923 and according to the figures determinated by the Council.

4°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next. A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By Order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.
62884

Business and Official Notices

Royal Asiatic Society
NORTH CHINA BRANCH

A Meeting of the Society will be held in the Lecture Hall, 5 Museum Road, on Thursday, October 25th., 1923, at 5.30 p.m., when a Lecture will be given by
DR. HERBERT CHATLEY
on
"The 'Dead Hand' in China".
The Meeting is open to the Public.
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On and from 1st November, 1923, in consequence of the alteration of the timings of the Tientsin-Pukow Line Express and Mail trains, the service for through passengers will be as given below:—

Tientsin-Pukow Line

		Express	Mail
Peking	dep.	9.05	—
Tientsin East	dep.	13.00	9.35
Tientsin Central	dep.	13.20	10.06
Tsinanfu	dep.	21.57	19.50
Hsuchowfu	dep.	6.51	6.00
Pukow	arr.	14.38	16.02

Shanghai-Nanking Line

		Express	Night Express
Nanking	dep.	16.00	23.00
Shanghai North	arr.	22.00	6.50

Shanghai-Nanking Line

		Night Express
Shanghai North	dep.	23.30
Nanking	arr.	7.20

Tientsin-Pukow Line

		Express	Mail
Pukow	dep.	8.50	10.00
Hsuchowfu	dep.	17.08	19.48
Tsinanfu	dep.	2.04	5.58
Tientsin Central	dep.	10.15	15.32
Tientsin East	dep.	10.25	arr. 15.42
Peking	arr.	14.25	—

As the sleeping accommodation on the Shanghai-Nanking Line is strictly limited, early application should be made if sleeping berths are required. No Second Class sleeping accommodation is available between Shanghai North and Nanking.
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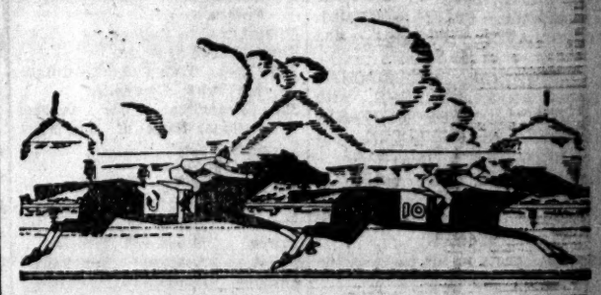

KIANGWAN RACES
103rd MEETING
27th October, 1923.
(Saturday)
First Saddling Bell at 1.15 p.m. Sharp
Admission Tickets to Public Stand:—$1.00 each, obtainable at the Gate.
Special Trains:—11.50 a.m., 12.30 p.m., 1.15 p.m.
Tiffins and Refreshments will be served at the Race Course.
By order,
Y. S. DAY,
Secretary.
62930 O 31

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India Australia and China

Incorporated in England by Royal Charter 1853

Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund £2,500,000
Reserve Liabilities £2,000,000

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		Yokohama

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C. J. SCOTT,
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Capital (paid up)	75,000,000
Reserves	21,852,280

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A. DONNAY
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LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7131 to 7134, General Office.
Cable Address:
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Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & fully paid-up $20,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £4,500,000
Silver $24,500,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

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Colombo	London	Sourabaya
Dairen	Lyons	Sungei-Patani
Foochow	Malacca	Tientsin
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G. H. STITT.
Manager

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Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,300
Capital Contributed by Kup. the Chinese Government	Tls. 2,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

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Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) .. 39,500,000.00

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Paid-up Capital $19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund $ 6,082,345.41

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Established 1824

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K. P. CHEN
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Established 1907.

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Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
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Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U.S. $2,850,000
CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

Meteorological Reports

October 25, 1923.
Sun rises today at 6.3
Sun sets today at 17.30

SICCAWEI

(inches)	Oct. 12.		Oct. 13.	
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	30.13	30.15	30.11	30.13
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	−0.05	−0.07	−0.09	−0.09
Wind—direction	−0.07	−0.07	−0.02	−0.02
Wind—miles per hour	SSE	SE	SE	E
Temperature (Fahr.)	6.2	7.5	9.3	8.7
Humidity %	63°7	59°9	56°5	6837
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	46	79	96	49
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	10	10	4	7
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SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT

October 12.	Mean 1923	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	30.13	−0.03	30.13
Temperature (Min. 46°4) (Fahr.) (Max. 71°8)	59°0	+2°7	64°5
Rainfall (inches)	36.89	0.99	40.31

行 業 銀 華 中
The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital $5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K. $500,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
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R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

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Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

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Chief Manager.

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Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital .. Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, Hsi, Tientsin.
Bankers:
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England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Banque Italo Belge.
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Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
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Managers' Office Central 5094.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YI SHU,
General Managers.

Weather Report

Oct. 23.—The anticyclone from Lake Baikal approaches Northern China and the depression goes away towards NE, across the Sea of Japan. Secondary maximum between Fukien and the Loochoos. Violent N to NW squalls between Peking and Shanghai; moderate and variable breezes with local calms in the South. Overcast and colder weather in China, chiefly in the N.; fine day at Formosa; rain in Chekiang.

Oct. 24.—Fine and very cool weather. Strong NNW breezes. The pressure is rising fastly rapidly. Remarkable visibility.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on October 23, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-20
Mutton	"	18-24
Pork	"	18-18
Veal	"	24-28
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	16-20
Cod	"	18-20
Mandarin	"	20-30
Mackerel	"	12-20
Pomfret	"	none
Salmon	"	20-25
Small	"	none
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	none
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	$3.00-$5.00
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	24-30
Hare	each	35-40
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	$0-$1.00
Geese	"	$0-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Pigeons	"	18-20
Quail	"	14-16
Snipe	"	14-16
Teal	"	14-16
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	50-60
Wild Duck	"	35-40
Duck	"	50-60
Wild Pigeon	"	10-12
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	20-25
Banana	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	15-20
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	15-20
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	5-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	per dozen	$1.20-$1.40
Peaches	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	15-20
Pears	"	22-24
Peeboes	"	none
Plums	"	none
Pumeloes	each	30-35
Pineapples	"	none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	15-20
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per punch	1-3
Broad Beans	per lb.	5-6
Cabbages	each	4-5
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	50-60
Egg lant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	"	5-7
Green Corn	"	3-5
Peas	"	8-10
Leeks	per punch	4-5
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$3.00-$3.20
Radishes	per punch	1-2
Onions	per lb.	5-6
Spinach	"	4-5
Tomatoes	"	4-5
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.20
Flour Shanghai	"	$3.80
Bran	per 144 lbs.	$3.10
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$11.00
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton	Tls. 19.50
House Coal	"	17.25

H. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Lebanon Welcomes General Weygand

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Oct. 23.—General Weygand, the High Commissioner for Syria, in the course of the last few weeks has made a number of journeys in the Lebanon which have aroused demonstrations of real attachment in favour of France and her representative. The Maronites of the Lebanon mountains as well as the Mohammedan population welcomed him enthusiastically. In the course of his tour General Weygand visited the irrigation works in the plain of Akkar, the construction work on a bridge over the Nahr-el-Kebir, and the cotton and mulberry plantations near the site of ancient Tyre.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,100 B.
Chartered	£20 B.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$640 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$232 B.
Yangtsze	H.$26¾
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$132 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$490 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$137½ B.
Indo-China Pref.	H. $38½ B.
"Shell"	66/3
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 75 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 54 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21¼ B.
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$5 S.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$152 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 90
New. Engg. Works	Tls. 7½
" Pref.	Tls. 5.35 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 190 B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$157½ S.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$40
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land.	Tls. 122 B.
Shanghai Land.	Tls. 122
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 14
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 112 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5¼ B.
Shanghai Cotton.	Tls. 90 B.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$224½ B.
Green Island	$26 B.
Langkats	Tls. 34 B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 95 B.
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Tls. 6¾ B.
Llewelyn	Tls. 35 B.
Lane Crawford	Tls. 103½ B
Mourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H. $23
Weeks	$13
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 7¼
Amherst	Tls. 0.60
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.80 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.10 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 22 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.05 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.72½ B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.07½ B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.17½ B
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Cheng	Tls. 1½ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2¾ B.
Dominion	Tls. 2.40
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 9 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 12¼ B.
Kapaying	Tls. 12½ B.
Karan	Tls. 7.35 B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.20 B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.05 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 17
Padang	Tls. 6.70 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.32½
Permata	Tls. 3½
Repah	Tls. 0.92½ B
Samagagas	Tls. 0.90
Seekees	Tls. 0.95 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.40 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.17½ B
S'hai Klebang	$. 0.65 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4½ B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9½ B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.90 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.35 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 9.15
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3.70
S'hai Seremban	$. 0.67½ B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.65 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.80 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.40 B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 3½ B
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 173 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 39 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 73 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

S. Sellers, Ss. Sales, B. Buyers

PARIS-LONDON RATE

(Via Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Oct, 23.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at 78.05 francs.

Money Exchange

Shanghai, October 24, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate	72.225
Native Interest	12
Copper Cash	251.000
Shanghai Gold Bar	337.80
Bar Silver	31⅛
Bank rate of Discount	**4%**
Paris on London	78
New York on London	447⅞
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/0⅝
Demand	3/0⅞
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	68⅝
Demand	69

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank

Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London T.T.	3/0⅝
London Demand	3/0⅞
London 4 m-s.	3/1
India T.T.	219¾
France T.T.	1180
America T.T.	68¾
Hongkong T.T.	74¼
Japan T.T.	71¾
Batavia T.T.	181½
Straits T.T.	76¾

BANKS' BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s. Credits	3/2¼
London 4 m-s. Docts	3/2½
London 6 m-s. Credits	3/2¾
London 6 m-s. Docts	
France 4 m-s.	1240
America 4 m-s. L/c	72
Docs	72½

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 70⅜ = Tls. 142.10

@ exch. 72.4 = Mex. $196.27

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3s. 1¾d. = Tls. 6.36

@ exch. 72.4 = Mex. $8.78

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR OCTOBER

Hk. Tls. 5.78	@ 3/1¼	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.27	@ 70½	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1138	Fr. 13.35
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 69⅝	Yen 1.60
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 229½	Rupees 2.53
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15⅝	Ital Lire 17.41

International Banking Corporation

CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America	69⅝
Demand buying on America	70⅜
Demand selling on London	3/1
Demand buying on London	3/1¾

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 500,000 .. Tls. 100.

Roubles 100 .... Mex. $0.03.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

October 24th, 1923.

Spot bar silver was down 9-16d and forward 3-8d in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 63⅝ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 449⅜.

Our official Sterling rate here this morning was dropped to 3-0⅝ the Gold Dollar rate to 68⅝, the Yen rate raised to 71¼ and the other rates changed accordingly.

Our market while inclined to be easy at the opening steadied up during the day. There were generally sellers of Sterling at 3-1¼ October delivery, 3-1 3-16 November and 3-1⅛ December.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 69⅜ for near and forward deliveries.

At the close there were sellers of Sterling at 1-16d and of Gold Dollars at ⅛ higher than these rates. There were sellers of Yen at 69⅞ for near and forward deliveries and buyers at 69⅝.

Banks were quoting 3-1¾, 71½ and 1230 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

India, China and America all sold silver in London yesterday and the market is reported as being uncertain at the close. New York report their market as steady.

Chinese Government Bonds

(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Tuesday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 6%	53.50	54.50
7th Year 6%	45.40	45.30
9th Year 6%	64.00	64.70
6% Consolidated	50.00	50.50
7% Consolidated	54.00	53.80
11th Year 8%	99.75	99.75
96 Millions 8%	16.75	16.65

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Bank's Selling Rates

It. Lire 15.25 = 1 Tael

Swiss Frs. 3.84 = 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations

It. Lire 100.75 = 1 Pound Sterling

It. Lire 22.40 = 1 U. S. Dollar

It. Lire 131.00 = 100 Fr. Francs

Passengers Arrived

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping from Chinwangtao: Mrs. March and two children, Mrs. and the two Misses Macfarlane.

Per I-C. s.s. Suiwo from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sifflect, Mrs. R. R. Gernfel, Capt. and Mrs. Daugherty, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Richard, Mr. Ostor Baisseliet, from Kiukiang: Messrs. J. P. Nichols, W. H. Nash.

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, October 24, 1923

OFFICIAL

Kedahs Tls. 1.37½ March

S'hai Hotels 6% Debs. Tls. 98.00

Chemors Tls. 1.30 March

UNOFFICIAL

Trams Reg. Tls. 171.00

Telephones Tls. 74.00

Semambus Tls. 1.47½ Dec.

Anglo Javas Tls. 7.30 March

Kotas Tls. 1.25 March

Chemors Tls. 1.22½ Dec.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

Today's Quotations

Shanghai, October 24, 1923

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Changsha, *Hankow*	Oct. 26
Changon, *Hankow*	Oct. 28
Emp. of Asia, *Hongkong*	Oct. 27
E. of Australia, *Vancouver*	Oct. 29
Ermland, *Hamburg*	Oct. 30
Esang, *Antung*	Oct. 26
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Oct. 28
Glaucus, *Liverpool*	Oct. 30
Glenamoy, *London*	Oct. 28
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	Oct. 26
Hsinming, *Tientsin*	Oct. 26
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Oct. 25
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Oct. 26
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Oct. 26
Ireno, *Chefoo*	Oct. 26
Japan, *Calcutta*	Oct. 26
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Nov 1
Kungwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 1
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Oct. 28
Kumano Maru, *Osaka*	Oct. 29
Katori Maru, *Europe*	Oct. 26
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	Oct. 30
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Oct. 26
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Oct. 27
Kitano Maru, *Kobe*	Oct. 26
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Oct. 27
Kyouto Maru, *Chinwangtao*	Oct. 25
L. St. L. Bie, *Europe*	Oct. 31
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Oct. 28
Luchow, *Hongkong*	Oct. 29
Luenho, *Hankow*	Oct. 31
Liangchow, *Hongkong*	Oct. 25
Memnon, *Hankow*	Oct. 26
Nanning, *Hongkong*	Oct. 30
Nyanza, *London*	Oct. 28
Nellore, *Kobe*	Oct. 27
Pres. Cleveland, *Hongkong*	Oct. 26
Porthos, *Marseilles*	Oct. 27
Poyang, *Hankow*	Oct. 31
Pres. Pierce, *S. Francisco*	Oct. 25
Pres. Jefferson, *Hongkong*	Oct. 27
Szechuen, *Hongkong*	Nov. 1
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Oct. 29
Shengking, *Hankow*	Oct. 28
Shantung, *Tsingtao*	Oct. 26
Shinfoo, *Chinwangtao*	Oct. 25
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	Oct. 31
Sinkiang, *Hongkong*	Oct. 31
Tatung, *Hankow*	Oct. 27
Tenyo Maru, *Hongkong*	Oct. 30
Tingsang, *Hongkong*	Oct. 28
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Oct. 25
Venezia, *Kobe*	Oct. 25
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Nov. 1
Woosung, *Hankow*	Oct. 29
West Niger, *Portland*	Oct. 29
Whangpu, *Hankow*	Oct. 25
Yamashiro Maru, *Osaka*	Oct. 25
Yingchow, *Hongkong*	Oct. 27
Yungshin, *Ningpo*	Oct. 25
Yushun, *Tientsin*	Oct. 28

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SHANGHAI, OCT. 25, 1923

WEATHER

Fine and cool weather.
Variable winds to the North of the Eastern Sea.
Northerly winds to the South of the Eastern Sea.

Chairman Fessenden

IN electing Mr. Stirling Fessenden by unanimous vote to be its Chairman, the Shanghai Municipal Council has paid a signal honor to a faithful and efficient worker for civic safety and progress. But more than that, we think, it has paid an honor to the American community, for the Council is British and Mr. Fessenden is American. Deeper still goes the thought that compliments and honors of this sort, are, as they should be, mutual and reciprocal here and elsewhere among the men of both peoples who really count.

Mr. Fessenden has been a resident of Shanghai for eighteen years. He is a very busy lawyer. But during the last five years he has devoted several hours of each working day to furtherance of the best interests of Shanghai, not only as Chairman of the Municipal Council's most important Watch Committee, but as a member of other committees and of the Council itself. We know, because he is Chairman of THE CHINA PRESS Board and time after time has had to curtail or call off our meetings because of his Municipal Council engagements.

Work however doesn't seem to bother Mr. Fessenden. He hails from Maine and that may account for it, although how he can come from that climate and fit into this one and remain healthful, equable and genial requires some accounting for.

Elsewhere we give an account of his election and career in Shanghai. On behalf of the American community we heartily congratulate the City and the Council and wish for him the successful administration which his past distinguished services to the city lead us to expect.

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

"I'm going back to her," he said;
Remorse was in his tone;
"I left her, when I lost my head,
To get along alone;
I did as others often do,
For men are prone to err,
But I've awakened; I am through,
And going back to her!

"I thought another's lips were sweet,
And foolishly I learned
To babble words I'll not repeat;
My breast with ardor burned;
The faith that I had pledged was flung
Defiantly aside,
And for the watchful gossip's tongue
A morsel I supplied.

"I've had my fling, I've gone my way,
I've learned my lesson well;
The paths we think are heavenly may
Have terminals in hell!
I left her when her hopes were few,
And when her moans were deep,
But I'm returning to renew
The faith I failed to keep.

"I'm going back to her; my sight
And senses are regained;
I've stumbled through a dreadful night,
And I am bruised and pained,
But brightly morning dawns once more,
And all the world's astir;
Our joys shall mingle as before—
I'm going back to her!"

He started backward briskly, free
From any deep concern,
Nor doubting, it appeared that she
Would welcome his return.

Yes, Little Garlic-san, it is a pleasant thing to go forth at early dawn and hear an old Chinese wheelbarrow whinny with joy at sight of the oil can.

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Tomorrow is a doggone good time to find out that flocks of the things we learned today are all wrong.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS.

"Any man who marries for money earns it."—Coleman Cox.

"Truth is stranger than fiction which explains why so few people believe it."—James J. Montague.

"What we did fifty-three years ago our former enemies can at least try to do today. If not, they force us to execute on them what they menaced us with then—pay or we stay."—Premier Poincare.

"We English have the reputation of being the worst linguists in the world."—Rev. Frank Tatchell.

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Greece is determined to be more than a mere spot on the map.

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As a matter of fact they do work things pretty slick over there.

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Breathes there a man with soul so dead
He'd sooner work than lie abed,
Or loaf upon the shady grass
With something fizzy in a glass,
Or loiter house-boat'ng and dream
With fingers idling in the stream?
If you should know him, quickly tell
For he can have my job as well.
—*from Scott's 'Emulsion.'*

• • •

Dear Larry:

Signs in several shops advertising a new clinic called the polyclinic. Sign sez:

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Correct this sentence:

"It doesn't matter a bit that you stepped all over my white shoes with your big boots," said the sweet young sheba. "They're old and I'm going to get a new pair tomorrow anyway."

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Miss Ima Hoot Nanny, who has several suitors who are always just one jump ahead of the predominating Shanghai evil, sez that neither the sun nor a shroff with unpaid chits can be looked at with a steady eye.

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A Diplomatic Game?

Reuter's dispatch says: "The Dominion representatives have returned to London after spending the week-end at Chequers."

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As the Manila Bulletin so aptly sez China may not be up to date she's up to everything else.

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Henry Ford is reported to have gotten the bug and become a collector of antiques. The brief dispatch doesn't mention whether it includes flivvers.

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Whether it was merely a slip-up in the Advt. department or some cumsha for Bill Gande we don't know but in yesterday's China Press the advertisement for 'The Dippers' was right over Bacardi cocktail rum.

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LITTLE GARLIC-SAN HAS A COLD AND DIDN'T GIVE US ANY LAST LINE TODAY.

Larry

As Calvin Coolidge Thinks

The Right To Strike—Measure of Civilisation—Support of Government

This is the second part of an article by President Calvin Coolidge concerning Capital and Labor. The first part appeared in THE CHINA PRESS yesterday. The third article will appear on this page tomorrow. It deals with the fundamentals of the American Government.

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There is no right to strike against the public safety by anybody, anywhere, any time. A grave responsibility rests upon all of us. You can depend upon me to support you in every legal action and sound policy. I am equally determined to defend the sovereignty of Massachusetts and to maintain the authority and jurisdiction over her public officers where it has been placed by the constitution and law of her people.
A telegram to Samuel Compers, 1919.

SUPPORT OF GOVERNMENT

I propose to support all those who are supporting their own Government with every power which the people have intrusted to me. There is an obligation, inescapable, no less solemn, to resist all those who do not support the Government. The authority of the Commonwealth cannot be intimidated or coerced. It cannot be compromised. To place the maintenance of the public security in the hands of a body of men who have attempted to destroy it would be to flout the sovereignty of the laws the people have made. It is my duty to resist any such proposal. Those who would counsel it join hands with those whose acts have threatened to destroy the Government. There is no middle ground. Every attempt to prevent the formation of a new police force is a blow at the Government. That way treason lies. No man has a right to place his own ease or convenience or the opportunity of making money above his duty to the state.

This is the cause of all the people. I call on every citizen to stand by me in executing the oath of my office by supporting the authority of the Government and resisting all assaults upon it.
A proclamation, 1919.

The state is not founded on selfishness. It cannot maintain itself by the offer of material rewards. It is the opportunity for service. There has of late been held out the hope that government could by legislation remove from the individual the need of effort. The managers of industries have seemed to think that their difficulties could be removed and prosperity insured by changing the laws.

The employee has been led to believe that his condition could be made easy by the same method. When industries can be carried on without any struggle their results will be worthless, and when wages can be secured without any effort they will have no purchasing value. In the end the value of the product will be measured by the amount of effort necessary to secure it.
From the Nature of Politics.

MEASURE OF CIVILISATION

All growth depends upon activity. Life is manifest only by action. There is no development physically or intellectually without effort, and effort means work. Work is not a curse, it is the prerogative of intelligence, the only means to manhood, and the measure of civilisation. Savages do not work. The growth of a sentiment that despises work is an appeal from civilisation to barbarism.

I appeal to Amherst men to reiterate and sustain the Amherst doctrine, that the man who builds a factory builds a temple; that the man who works there worships there; and to each is due, not scorn and blows, but reverence and praise.
Amherst Alumnia, 1916.

If material rewards are to be the only measure of success there is no hope of a peaceful solution of our social questions, for they will never be large enough to satisfy. But such is not the case. Men struggle for material success because that is the path, the process, to the development of character. We ought to demand economic justice, but most of all because it is justice. We must forever realise that material rewards are limited and in a sense they are only incidental, but the development of character is unlimited and is the only essential. The measure of success is not the quality of merchandise but the quality of manhood which is produced.

The justifying conception of the spirit of our age is that commerce is the foundation of human progress and prosperity and the great artisan of human character. Let us dismiss the general indictment that has hung all too long over business enterprise. While we continue to condemn unsparingly selfishness and greed and all the trafficking in the natural rights of man, let us not forget to respect thrift and industry and enterprise. Let us look to the service rather than the reward. Then shall we see in our industrial army, from the most exalted captain to the humblest soldier in the ranks, a purpose worthy to minister to the highest needs of man and to fulfill the hope of a fairer day.
Brockton Chamber of Commerce, 1916.

Democracy not only ennobled man; it has ennobled industry. In political affairs the vote of the humblest has long counted for as much as the vote of the most exalted. We are working toward the day when, in our industrial life, equal honor shall fall to equal endeavor, whether it be exhibited in the office or in the shop.
At the home of Daniel Webster, 1916.

Deadwood Taxes

(New York Tribune)

Secretary Mellon has taken note of the Treasury's illuminating experience in deciding to renew his recommendation for a reduction of the income surtaxes. Here is a cut which would increase internal tax revenue instead of decreasing it.

The reason for this seeming paradox is plain. The surtaxes have smothered investments in active, productive enterprise and forced capital into sheltered state and municipal securities. There is a limit of saturation for income supertaxes. Some experts put it at 32 percent. Mr. Mellon is inclined to put it at 25 percent. Money taxable at more than this market limit is inevitably withdrawn from constructive business and marooned in state and municipal undertakings of a static character.

State and municipal expenditure has been alarmingly inflated since an artificial market was created for exempt bonds. In so far as the proceeds of these favored bond issues have gone into buildings, they have done additional harm. Building conditions are abnormal; building material and labor costs are extortionate. Sound economic policy would reserve activity in state and municipal construction for periods of depression and unemployment. The unfortunate immunity thrust in boom times on state and municipal securities has therefore worked doubly against the public welfare.

Congress neglected at the last session to submit a constitutional amendment extending Federal taxation of state and city securities. An unhealthy situation was not mended. There remains one way, however, to mitigate the exemption evil and at the same time to increase the Federal revenue from income, and that is to revise the existing surtaxes downward.

The Treasury faced a deficit of about $800,000,000 for the last fiscal year. This was wiped out and a surplus was recorded, in part through the extraordinary increase in income payments under the modified surtax rates put into effect on January 1 last. A load was lifted from capital eager to find its way into active use. Another load will be lifted, with similar results, if Congress adopts Mr. Mellon's suggestions for further surtax curtailment. The present schedules are still too punitive and nonproductive. They exact more than the traffic will bear, especially as the door of escape stands wide open. The top rates bring in little. The lower rates have proved themselves to be the real revenue getters.

Mr. Mellon is a financier and economist of the first rank. He is not a politician. Too many politicians in Congress cling to the barren high surtaxes as to a fetich. Mr. Mellon is no idol worshiper. He wants to drop the fossilized rates because dropping them will not only help the Treasury but help business.

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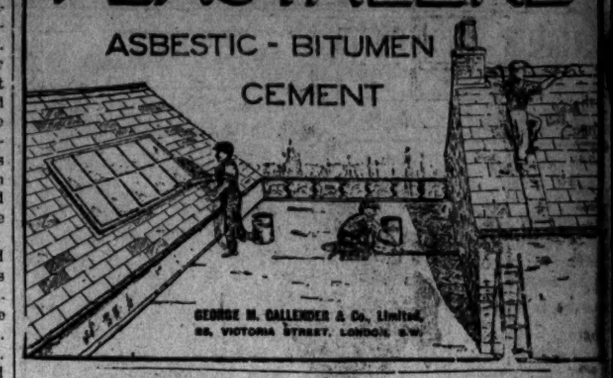

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Bringing Up Father

By George McManus

How In Astronomy Things "Fall" Without Falling

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

A reader in Texas puzzled over the meaning of "acceleration" as used by me in an article on the cause of the double tide raised by the moon—one on the near and the other on the far side of the earth. I said that a study of the principle of acceleration would help to make clear the statement that the globe of the earth tends to move toward the moon under the pull of gravitation, and yet does not actually get nearer to it. Acceleration means either a change of the velocity of motion or a change of its direction. The earth and the moon are both accelerated in revolving around their common centre of gravity because the direction of the motion of each is continually changing from a straight to a curved line although their mean speed remains always the same. It is in this sense that I used the word in writing of the tides.

The centre of the earth, and consequently the entire solid globe, is more accelerated toward the moon than is the water on the side of the earth farthest from the moon, since the effect of an accelerating force varies inversely with the distance.

The force that keeps the earth revolving around the sun is an acceleration caused by the sun's attraction, just as the force that keeps the moon revolving around the earth is an acceleration caused by the earth's attraction. In return, the moon's attraction accelerates the earth and causes in to revolve around a point inside its own globe, which, as I have shown in a preceding article, is the location of the common centre of gravity between earth and moon.

The key by which Newton unlocked the secet of the law of gravitation (Einstein's theory leaves this law practically unchanged), was the principle of acceleration. Newton saw that a falling body at the earth's surface had its velocity increased regularly about thirty-two feet during every second that it continued to fall.

Thus at the end of the first second it is moving at the rate of thirty-two feet per second; at the end of the second its rate is sixty-four feet second; at the end of the third, ninety-six feet, and so on. This thirty-two feet per second added during each successive second is the acceleration produced by the earth's attraction at, or near, its surface, i.e., 4,000 miles from its center. But the distance actually fallen by a body in the first second is one-half of the acceleration or sixteen feet, because it starts with 0 and ends with 32. Thereafter the total distance fallen at the end of any second is sixteen multiplied by the square of the number of seconds.

Now, Newton, assuming that the acceleration produced by the earth's attraction varied inversely as the square of the distance of the moon, which is about sixty times the distance between the centre and the surface of the earth, the acceleration would be thirty-two feet divided by the square of 60, or 3,600. This makes the acceleration a little over, onetenth of an inch, so that the distance fallen by the moon would be one-twentieth of an inch in a second. But at the same time the moon is in motion at right angles (nearly) to the direction of the earth's pull, and the combination of the two motions makes the acceleration a deflection of the moon's path from a straight to a curved line, which corresponds to the moon's orbit around the earth.

In the same way the sun's attraction produces an acceleration of the earth amounting to nearly a quarter of an inch per second, so that the earth's path is deflected in one second about an eighth of an inch from a straight line, and this suffices to form its orbit, 186,000,000 miles in diameter, around the sun. More accurately, the deflection of the earth is 0.116 of an inch, and that of the moon is 0.0534 of an inch.

To show how a body moving in an orbit around the earth can be continually falling and not yet approaching, imagine a cannon placed on an elevation of 16 feet and let the earth be perfectly smooth and round. Also eliminate the atmosphere.

First give the ball a horizontal speed of one mile per second. It will fall 16 feet in that second. But the earth rounds off eight inches in one mile so that after going one mile the ball will still be 8 inches above the ground. Increase its speed to two miles per second. Again it falls 16 feet in the second, but in two miles the earth rounds off 32 inches so that the ball will now be 32 inches above the ground. If the ball goes three miles in the second it will still fall only 16 feet, but the earth will have rounded off 72 inches, or 6 feet, and if we increase the ball's speed to 4.9 miles per second the earth's rounding off will be 16 feet, just counterbancing the ball's fall, so that, at that speed, it could go round and round the earth. Like a moon, always accelerated toward the earth's center, but never touching its surface. This is because the earth's rounding off, like the ball's fall, varies as the square of the distance.

Across The Breakfast Table

W. L. George And His Wife

FIDELITY AND MARRIED MEN

Mr. George (sententious): Every man is seeking the woman who will make him faithful.

Mrs. George: Yes, and what a long route some men choose to travel towards her!

Mr. George: It isn't their fault. It's the fault of the women. I assure you that almost every man aspires to love only one woman all through his life. It's a natural instinct. We're not Don Juans, but our difficulty is that the girl's so charming during her engagement, but soon stops being a goddess when she's married, and gets down from her pedestal.

Mrs. George: No wonder, poor thing! She feels lonely stuck up there by herself, and she comes down to join the man.

Mr. George: Any man, I suppose.

Mrs. George: Well, of course, dear, they're all very much alike as soon as you get to know them, but when you begin talking about men and ideals, you talk the most specious rot I've ever heard. Men aren't seeking for a woman who keeps them amused. Man's idea of the perfect wife is this: she's to efface herself when not wanted; be available when wanted; be a vamp, yet thoroughly domestic; and, of course, if she achieves these and countless so-called virtues, the man who marries her at once sets about to see how he can deceive her.

Mr. George: As usual! Exaggeration! Getting away from the point.

Mrs. George: What point?

Mr. George: My point, that if men aren't faithful it's not their fault, because women fail to hold them. Man wants to be held, and his sins lie at woman's door.

Mrs. George: You are really rather practical. Man only sins because of the incompetence of woman. His only hope is that she'll never become competent.

Figures Of Speech

"SLOUGH OF DESPOND"

We speak of a person's being in "the slough of despond" when he is so depressed in spirit that he is thoroughly discouraged and can see no hope for the future. The term is derived from Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress," part 1.

The Slough of Despond was a deep bog which Christian, the pilgrim, has to cross in order to get to the wicket gate. This is at the very outset of his "progress," or journey, and he falls into the slough, or bog. To his aid comes his neighbor, named Help, and the latter extricates Christian from the bog. Christian's neighbor, called Pliable, accompanies him as far as the Slough of Despond, and then turns back from the journey.

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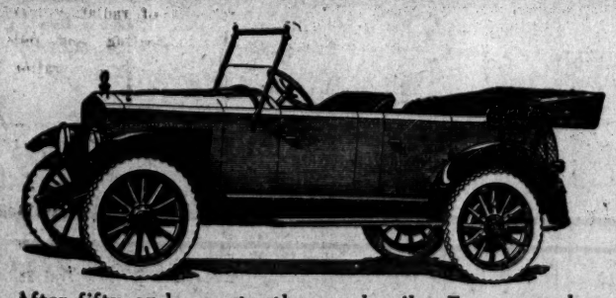
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The C. M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

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The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangtsen will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang is expected to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Luchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The C.M. s.s. Kaho left Amoy for Swatow on Tuesday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Esang is due in Shanghai from Antung and Tsingtao next Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Tsingtao yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Chipshing was to leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei, Hongkong and Canton on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The C. M. s.s. Yushun left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Saturday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kyokuto Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Shinfoo (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Taishun left Chefoo for Newchwang yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Chefoo yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The C.M. s.s. Irene left Chefoo yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang will leave Tientsin for Lungkow, Hongkong and Canton on Saturday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe, Moji and Nagasaki today and will dock at the N. Y. K. Mail Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Japan, from Calcutta, was expected to leave Hongkong for Amoy and Shanghai on Monday.

The P. and O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay on October 16, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Saturday.

The B.I. s.s. Japan, from Calcutta, left Amoy yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow afternoon.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Glen Line m.v. Glenamoy is due in Shanghai from London on Sunday.

The M.M. s.s. Angers will leave Shanghai for Marseilles via ports tomorrow, and the tender with passengers for the steamer is to leave the French Mail jetty at 3 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Kaiser-I-Hind left London at 2 p.m. on October 12, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about November 21.

The N.D.L. s.s. Holstein left Port Said on October 17, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on November 18.

The S.E. s.s. Benares, from Gothenburg, left Suez on October 7 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on November 5.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Tana, from Christiania via ports, left Southampton on October 12, and is due in Shanghai about November 30.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Memnon left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Nellore left Kobe yesterday and arriving in Shanghai next Saturday. The liner is to sail for London on November 2.

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva is due to leave London tomorrow, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about December 5.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Glaucus left Singapore last Sunday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Hongkong on October 30.

The P. and O. s.s. Devanha, from London on September 28, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Sunday.

The Glen Line m.v. Glengarry is due in Shanghai from London via ports on November 8.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenapp is due in Shanghai from London via ports on November 23.

The Glen Line s.s. Carmarthenshire is due in Shanghai from London via ports on November 30.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Niger is due in Shanghai from Portland next Monday and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on October 31.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jester is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on November 3 and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on November 7.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia is due at Kobe from Vancouver tomorrow, and is expected at Woosung on Monday October 29.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant arrived in Shanghai from Seattle on Tuesday afternoon, and docked at the China Merchants Central Wharf. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 9 o'clock this morning.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce is due in Shanghai from San Francisco, Honolulu and Kobe this morning, and will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf about 10 o'clock. The vessel is to sail for Hongkong and Manila at the same hours tomorrow.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland will arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong tomorrow afternoon, and docking at the China Merchans' Central Wharf about 3 o'clock. The liner will sail for San Francisco via Kobe and Honolulu at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln, from San Francisco on October 18, was to leave Honolulu yesterday and is expected in Shanghai via Kobe on November 6.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison, from Seattle on October 18, should dock at Yokohama next Monday, and is expected in Shanghai via Kobe on November 3.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley is due to leave Seattle next Monday, and arriving in Shanghai via Japan ports on November 15.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada, from Vancouver on October 18, is due at Yokohama next Monday, and docking at Woosung on November 2.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia will arrive at Woosung from Hongkong on Saturday noon, and sails for Vancouver via Japan ports at 10 a.m. Sunday. The tender bringing inbound passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 2:30 p.m., and the outgoing tender with passengers for Woosung will leave at 10:30 p.m. Saturday. The last tender conveying passengers to the Asia will leave the Customs jetty at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning, and heavy baggage should be delivered to the Company's godown before 3 p.m. tomorrow.

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Kingsing for Tientsin: Messrs. G. Taylor, Davy Weatherby.

Per C.M. s.s. Feiching for Wenchow: Rev. and Mrs. Truelove, Rev. Stobie, Miss Simpson.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

President Taft	Oct. 13
Yankee Arrow	Oct. 19
President Wilson	Oct. 20

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Canada	Sept. 25
Grace Dollar	Sept. 28
Canadian Freighter	Oct. 4
Empress of Russia	Oct. 6

FOR SEATTLE

President Madison	Sept. 22
President McKinley	Oct. 4
West Ison	Oct. 6
Arabia Maru	Oct. 7
President Jackson	Oct. 16
Kaga Maru	Oct. 20
Eldridge	Oct. 23
Manila Maru	Oct. 23

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

Montague	Oct. 5
Elkridge	Oct. 12
West Jena	Oct. 14
Storviken	Oct. 17
Alcinous	Oct. 21

FOR NEW YORK

Celtic Prince	Sept. 29
Perseus	Sept. 29
Karonga	Oct. 10
Archer	Oct. 16
Patrick Henry	Oct. 18

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

City of Norwich	Sept. 25
Pembrokeshire	Sept. 28
Phemius	Oct. 2
Mantua	Oct. 3
Agrapenor	Oct. 4
Telamon	Oct. 4
Hakozaki Maru	Oct. 5
City of Lincoln	Oct. 8
Elpenor	Oct. 13
Karmala	Oct. 16
Glenluce	Oct. 19
Hakusan Maru	Oct. 19

FOR HAMBURG

London Maru	Sept. 28
Tsushima Maru	Oct. 3
Carl Legien	Oct. 5
Oldenburg	Oct. 9
Weser	Oct. 21
Paris Maru	Oct. 21

FOR ROTTERDAM

Kertosono	Oct. 8

FOR COPENHAGEN

Java	Sept. 24
Chile	Oct. 13

FOR BARCELONA

Legazpi	Oct. 20

FOR TRIESTE

Rosandra	Sept. 30

FOR MARSEILLES

Amboise	Sept. 28
Cordillera	Oct. 12
C. P. Lecocq	Oct. 14

FOR ODESSA

Lenin	Oct. 19

FOR INDIA

Takada	Oct. 4
Soudan	Oct. 12
Torilla	Oct. 17

Steamers Departed

Oct. 24—Kungwo for Hankow
Oct. 24—Wuchang for Hankow
Oct. 24—Tachang M. for Hankow
Oct. 24—Fooshing for Newchwang
Oct. 24—Tenkai M. for Chinwangtao
Oct. 24—Kienhsin for N. Customs
Oct. 24—Yusang for S. H. Canton
Oct. 24—Lushan M. for Amoy
Oct. 24—Nagaragawa M. for Dairen
Oct. 24—Shawhsing for Newchwang
Oct 24—Pfalz for Japan
Oct. 24—Tungshing for Tsingtao
Oct. 24—Ryusho M. for Japan
Oct. 24—Rozan M. for Japan
Oct. 24—Sankiang for Wenchow
Oct. 24—Tsegiang for Kiukiang
Oct. 24—Kingsing for W. C. Tientsin
Oct. 24—Fukwang for Chinkiang
Oct. 24—Hsin Peking for Ningpo
Oct. 24—H. Ningshao for Ningpo

Launch Services

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the M.M. s..s Angers, for Marseilles will leave the French Mail Jetty at 8 a.m.

Saturday, October 27, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, for Vancouver will leave the Customs Jetty at 10:30 p.m.

Sunday, October 28, 1923

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FOR TACOMA AND SEATTLE. Via Dairen Japan Ports, Victoria and Vancouver.
S.S. "AFRICA MARU" ..... Nov. 4
S.S. "HAWAII MARU" ..... Nov. 14

FOR HONGKONG (DIRECT)
S.S. "HAWAII MARU" ..... Nov. 9

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS. Tientsin and Dairen
S.S. "TAISHIN MARU" ..... Oct. 26
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" ...(Via Tsingtao) ....Nov. 5

FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung and Takao via Foochow.
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ..... Nov. 1
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" ..... Nov. 19

FOR Japan. For Kobe direct.
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Omi Maru .....Nov. 7
FOR SEATTLE VIA VICTORIA, B. C.
Ivo Maru .....Nov. 8
Shidzuoka Maru .....Nov. 24
FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape Town From Kobe.
Yokohama Maru .....Dec. 1

FOR EUROPE
Kitano Maru .....Oct. 27
Haruna Maru .....Nov. 2
Kamo Maru .....Nov. 17
Katoni Maru .....Dec. 1
FOR AUSTRALIA, from Hongkong.
Aki Maru .....Nov. 14
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Oct. 27 — San Francisco	†E. of Asia	Br. & Russia
Oct. 27 11.00 *Vancouver	†P. Cleveland	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 28 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
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Oct. 30 — New York via Suez	C. of Oran	Br. J.M. & Co.
Oct. 31 — Portland, Ore.	W. Niger	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 1 — New York	Bolton Castle	Br. Dod. & Co.
Nov. 4 — Tacoma, etc.	Africa Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 7 — New York	Taketoyo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 7 — Portland, Ore.	W. Jester	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 8 — Seattle	Iyo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Nov. 9 — San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap T K K
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Nov. 10 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Nov. 12 — Portland, Ore.	W. Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 14 — Tacoma, etc.	Hawaii M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 18 — Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 21 — Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 23 — San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 24 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Nov. 24 — Seattle	Shidzuoka M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 — Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 3 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 15 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
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FOR JAPAN PORTS

Oct. 27 — N. M. Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 28 — Kobe	Chili	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 29 — Kobe	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H. S. Linie
Oct. 30 — Kobe	Amur Marru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 31 — N. M. Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 3 — N.M. Kobe, Osaka	Hakuai Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Nov. 7 — N.M. Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Oct. 25 — Batavia	Tjitaroem	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Oct. 25 — Hamburg, etc.	Atreus	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 26 8.00 *Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 27 — Liverpool	Memnon	Br. B.& S.
Oct. 27 — Liverpool	Eurypylus	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 27 — London	Kitano M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 27 — Bremen, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 30 12.30 London	†Caledonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 1 — London	Teiresias	Br. B.& S.
Nov. 2 — Hamburg, etc.	Glenogle	Br. G.L.E.A.
Nov. 2 — London	†Nellore	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 3 — Scandinavia	Chile	Dan. E. A. Co
Nov. 3 — London	Haruna Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Nov. 4 — Antwerp, etc.	Oostkerk	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Nov. 7 — Hamburg, etc.	Amazon Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 7 — Hamburg, etc.	C. of Hankow	Br. J. M. & Co
Nov. 8 — Rotterdam, etc.	Adrastus	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 9 — Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
Nov. 10 — Bombay	Sicilia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 10 — Scandinavia	Peru	Dan. E. A. Co.
Nov. 13 — London	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 15 — Liverpool	Oanfa	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 15 — Hamburg, etc.	Machaon	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 17 London, etc.	Kamo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 20 — Hamburg	A. von Raeyer	Ger. H. S. Line
Nov. 22 — Hamburg, etc.	Glaucus	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 23 — Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 26 — Rotterdam	Ouderkerk	Dut. H. O. T. Co.
Nov. 26 — Singapore	W. Prospect	Am. S. & B.
Nov. 27 London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 27 — Liverpool	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 1 — London	†Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 3 — Hamburg, etc.	Glengarry	Br. G. L. E. A.
Dec. 6 — London	Sarpedon	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 7 — Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M Cie
Dec. 11 — London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 18 — Hamburg	†Chambord	Ger. H. S. Line
Dec. 21 — Marseilles	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Fr. M.M. Cie
Dec. 25 — London	Hindenburg	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 4 — Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr M. M. Cie
Jan. 8 — London	†Khiva	Br. M. M. Cie
Jan. 22 — London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 19 — London	†Morea	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Nov. 3 — Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co
Nov. 14 — Melbourne, etc.	†Aki Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 — Melbourne, etc.	†Fastern	Br. M. M. & Co.
Dec. 19 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 5 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Oct. 25 noon Foochow	Ningshin	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Oct. 25 5.00 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Oct. 25 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Oct. 25 — Wenchow	Feiching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Oct. 25 9.00 *Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 25 11.00 *A. H'kong, C'ton	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 26 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. C.P.S.
Oct. 26 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 26 10.00 *Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Oct. 27 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Niger	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 27 noon S. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 28 noon A. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 29 — Hongkong	E. of Australia	Br. C. P. S.
Oct. 30 1.00 S. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 1 — Keelung	Seikyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 2 — Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 4 — Hongkong, Manila	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 5 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 9 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Nov. 9 — Hongkong	Hawaii Maru	Jap. O.S.K
Nov. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 13 — Manila, Hongkong	Shidzuoka Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 14 — Manila	W. Sequana	Am. S. & B.
Nov. 16 — Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 17 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 18 — Hongkong	Siberia M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 23 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Nov. 29 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Oct. 25 11.00 *Chefoo, Tientsin	Hupeh	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 25 11.00 *Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 26 — Tientsin	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
Oct. 26 noon *Antung	Chusan	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 26 — Dairen, etc.	West Cayote	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 26 noon Newchwang	Chihli	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 26 — Dairen	Taishin Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 27 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fausang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Oct. 27 D.L. Antung	Esang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 27 10.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 27 noon Tsingtao	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 27 — Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K.M.A.
Oct. 30 3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 31 — Dairen, etc.	W. Niger	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 31 1.00 Newchwang	Kansu	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 1 1.00 Chefoo, Tientsin	Nanning	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 7 — Dairen, etc.	W. Jester	Am. Lumber Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Oct. 25	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 25	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 25	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 26	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 26	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tungting	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 26	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tehhsing	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Oct. 27	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 28	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 29	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 29	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 29	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Oct. 30	1.00 Wuhu	Shansi	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 31	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 31	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Changsha	Br. B.& S.
Nov. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.

M. N.—MIDNIGHT. D. L.—DAYLIGHT.
†CARRYING MAIL

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Oct. 27	9 a.m.	P. Cleveland	S. Francisco	Nov. 14
Oct. 27	8.30 p.m.	E. of Asia	Vancouver	Nov. 12
Oct. 28	10 a.m.	P. Jefferson	Seattle	Nov. 13

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	9 p.m.	Angers	Marseilles	Nov. 30
Oct. 27	7 a.m.	Kitano Maru	Marseilles	Dec. 1

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9.30 a.m.	Hupeh
Tsingtao & Dairy	Today	9.30 p.m.	Saikio Maru
Antung	Oct. 26	10.30 a.m.	Chusan
Newchwang	Oct. 26	10.30 a.m.	Chihli
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Oct. 27	9.30 a.m.	Fausang
Antung	Oct. 27	9 p.m.	Esang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Oct. 27	8.30 a.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao	Oct. 27	10.30 a.m.	Liangchow
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Oct. 30	1.30 p.m.	Fengtien
Newchwang	Oct. 31	11.30 a.m.	Kansu
Chefoo and Tientsin	Nov. 1	11.30 a.m.	Nanning

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Foochow	Today	9.30 a.m.	Ningshin
Hongkong & Canton	Today	7 a.m.	P. Grant
Amoy	Today	9.30 a.m.	Kanchow
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 p.m.	Angers
Hongkong & Canton	Oct. 26	8 a.m.	P. Pierce
Swatow	Oct. 27	10.30 a.m.	Shantung
Hongkong & Canton	Oct. 27	7 a.m.	Kitano M.
Swatow	Oct. 28	7.30 a.m.	Yatshing
Amoy	Oct. 28	10.30 a.m.	Soochow
Swatow	Oct. 30	11.30 a.m.	Sunning

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Today	7 a.m.	P. Grant
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Oct. 26	8 a.m.	P. Pierce
Japan ports	Oct. 26	8 a.m.	Katori M.
Japan ports	Oct. 27	9.30 a.m.	Yamashiro M.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
FNB	Oct. 21	Algol	Fr. Gun-boat
B N B	Oct. 9	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
1 C	Oct. 9	Calabria	Ital. Gun-boat
Mc W	———	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
1 C	———	Craonne	Fr. Gun-boat
1 C	Aug. 3	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
1 C	Sep. 25	Gen. Alava	Am. Gun-boat
U. S. N. B.	Sep. 25	Huron	Am. Cruiser
Mc W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
———	Oct. 22	Sacramento	Am. Gun-boat
E E W	———	Sumida	Jap. Gun-boat

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, OCT. 25, 1923

The evening tide are higher than the morning tides, they are about equal at 10 and 11 o'clock.
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
0h. 24m.	8ft. 3in.	0h. 39m.	9ft. 8in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The evening tides are higher than the morning tides.)
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h

A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
11	40	11	56

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
5.50 p.m.	6.19 a.m.	6h. 11m.	5h. 17m.	5h. 26m.	6h. 2m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 30.08 in.
October 764.1 mm.

Steamers Arrived

Oct. 23, Rokko M. from Japan
Oct. 23, Rozan M. from Hamburg
Oct. 24, Hsin Ningshao from N'po
Oct. 24, Hsin Peking from Ningpo
Oct. 24, Fusan M. from Japan
Oct. 24, Chihli from Hongkong
Oct. 24, Sakio M. from Dairen
Oct. 24, Mary Horlock from ....
Oct. 24, Chusan from Antung
Oct. 24, Endicott from New York
Oct. 24, Suiwo from Hankow
Oct. 24, Whangpu from Hankow
Oct. 24, Suiyang M. from Hankow
Oct. 24, Takaosan M. from Japan
Oct. 24, A. von Baeyer from Hamburg
Oct. 24, Kaiping from C'wangtao
Oct. 24, Hohsing from Newchwang
Oct. 24, Chuentiao from cruise
Oct. 24, Likin from cruise
Oct. 24, Yekishin M. from Tsingtao
Oct. 24, Tungchow from Tientsin
Oct. 24, Tjitaroem from Batavia

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On Thursday, October 25th, 192 , at 10 a.m.
The whole of the

Excellent Household Furniture and Sundries

Comprising:

HALL. Old Canton blackwood carved Chairs, Carved blackwood table, Teak morocco leather covered settee, Japanese Screen with embossed oil painting panels, Mahogany console table with mirror, Japanese Water Colours, Pictures, Carved teak table, etc.,

DRAWING ROOM. Teak tapestry covered drawing room suite, Japanese carved Cherrywood Chairs, Desk, Teapoys and Table to match carved blackwood flower stands, Brass vases, fire screen, Brass fender, Fire brasses, Bisque ornaments, Chinese vases, Console table with mirror, Pictures, Oil painting, Clock, Japanese carved picture frames, Goat skin rugs, etc., etc.,

DINING ROOM. Teak bevelled mirror back sideboard, Cellarette, Mahogany extension dining table, Dining Chairs, Teak Easy Chairs, Card table, Blue and White Porcelains, Cloisonne wall plates, Water colours, Cut Glass ware, German silver Vases, mantle clock, Embroidered screen, 4-blade Ceiling fan with lights, Cigar cabinet, Fine Dinner Service, E. P. ware, Crockery and Glass ware, Brass fender, fire brasses, etc.,

CONTENTS OF 4 BEDROOMS. Teak bevelled mirror door wardrobe, mirror back dressing table, Chest of drawers, Overmantels, Sofa, Arm Chairs, Teapoys, Electric table lamps, Brass Double Bedstead, White enamelled Bedsteads, Single beds, White enamelled mirror door wardrobes, Dressing tables, Chest of drawers, Oak stained dressing table, Wardrobe, Teak Bookcase, Books, Table, Marble top washstand, Desk, etc.

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Good Electric Fittings Throughout.

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Useful Household Furniture and Sundries, Clothing, etc.

On Friday, October 26th 1923, Commencing at 10 a.m.
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Small heating stove, LARGE ROLL TOP DESK, Flat top desk, Double spring arm chairs, Mirror door wardrobe, Hall and stair carpets, Hand sewing machine, Family scale, Barometer, Gold filled watches, Brass coal boxes, Toilet set, Teakwood hat and Umbrella stand, WALNUT WOOD FOLDING CARD TABLE, Small round table, Large hall stove, American cloth covered sofa, Millson baby's carriage, Pictures and Frames, Books, Oil stove, Salamandre stove, Oakwood writing desk, Chest of drawers, Large and small steamer trunks, Camphor wood trunk, Hat rack, Soochow curtains Tientsin rugs, and Mattings etc., etc.

also

A Large assortment of Gent's and Ladies' clothing, Boots, and Shoes, etc., etc.

IN FRONT SALESROOM

On Saturday, October 27th, 1923, Commencing at 10 a.m.

Household Furniture and Sundries

Comprising:

Chinese redwood carved sidetables, Blackwood Jardiniere stands, Blackwood Octagonal stool, Oak dining table and dining chairs made by Arts and Crafts, Roll top desk, Mahogany Piano stool, Oak chest of drawers, TEAK WOOD TAPESTRY UPHOLSTERED DOUBLE SPRING COSY CORNER MADE BY ARTS AND CRAFTS, LARGE SOLID WALNUT WOOD IMPORTED LIBRARY TABLE 6 x 3, Good Pictures, French bronze vases, Salamandre stove, white enamel mirror back dressing table, chest of drawers, marble top washstand, Teak bevelled mirror back sideboard, flat top desk, 14k gold watch, oak framed mirror, Oak inlaid double bedstead with Simmons spring and hair mattresses made by Arts and Crafts, Oak overmantle made by Arts and Crafts, Dark oak screen, dark oak book case, suite sitting room furniture comprising 1 couch and 4 chairs, Chinese black wood teapoys, Dinner services, E. P. Fish set, Chinese porcelain bronzes, Bathroom mirror (made by Arts and Crafts), Chinese red lacqueur cabinet, table, Ice chest, couch and arm chairs, Silver ware cabinet, Tall black lamp stand, White enamel teak tea table, mahogany stained writing desk, chest of drawers brass double bedstead, large nickel mounted hall stove, Russian typewriter, Microscope, Gramophone, records, Child's iron bedstead, square enamelled stoves.

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New Tientsin carpets size 9 x 12, 10 x 14, 4 x 7 and 3 x 6
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On View Friday

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On Monday, October 29th 1923
Commencing at 10 a.m. and continuing at 2.30 p.m.
the whole of the Excellent

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Special attention is drawn to the excellence of the furniture included in the sale, which is of the highest grade and workmanship mostly manufactured by Arts and Crafts Ltd.

HALL.—Oak stained glass door bookcase, copper top oblong table, Blackwood flower stands,
Leather upholstered spring Couch, arm chairs and side chairs, blackwood clothes stand, curtains, etc., etc.

DRESSING ROOM.—White enamelled wardrobe, dressing table, chest of drawers, fancy wall clock, table, etc., etc.

DRAWING ROOM.—Axminster carpet, cuckoo clock, Teak tapestry covered and cane back Couch, easy chairs, Lady's chairs and stool with cushions, silk and satin covered cushions, teak and blackwood flower stands, mahogany stained book case, bronze figure with clock, oil painting, marble statues, Bronze figure with light, centre table, glass door bookcase, curtains, pictures, Bronze statue "Melodie," blackwood stool, etc., etc.

DINING ROOM.—Axminster carpet, fire screen, copper fire brasses, coal bucket, Carved teak sideboard, dinner wagon, extension dining table, leather seated chairs, silver ware cabinet, Peking glass panel screen, teapoys, fancy dinner service, canteen set, silver ware, E. P. and glass ware, crockery, cut-glass ware, wall clock, flower stands, curtains, pictures, copper vases, etc., wicker and rattan ware on verandah.

SITTING ROOM: Axminster carpet, Teak satin covered suite (7 pieces), folding card table, floor lamp, oak desk and cupboard combined, oval table, Japanese tea and coffee set, E. P. ink stand, curtains, etc., etc.,

CONTENTS OF TWO BEDROOMS: Axminster carpets, Imported Suite of Grey Enamelled walnut furniture comprising oval bevelled mirror door wardrobe, oval bevelled mirror back dressing table, chest of drawers, marble top washstand, double bedstead with Simmon's mattress and 2 chairs, pedestal, small table, grey enamelled Lady's desk and stool, silk tapestry covered easy chairs with covers, Cream enamelled Wardrobe, dressing table with 3 bevelled mirrors, chest of drawers pedestals, chairs, folding desk, flower stand, cloth stand, table, Black and white bedsteads with Simmon's mattress, stool, vases, cushions, curtains, bed linen, etc., etc.

BATH ROOM: White enamelled mirror back cabinets, trousers press, chairs, basket, etc.,

DRESSING ROOM: Red axminster carpet, cream enamelled mirror door wardrobe, mirror back chiffonier, cane back and seated Couch, arm chairs, side chairs, stool with cushions, round table, cloth stand, curtains, etc.,

ATTIC: Carpets, mahogany stained bevelled mirror door wardrobe, dressing table, glass door book case, oil stoves, ice cream freezer carpet sweeper, etc.,

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Hall: Coir door mats, ratten flower stands, solid teakwood hall table and settee, mirror back hat and umbrella stand, porcelain garden seats, blackwood half round side table, hardwood arm chairs, teapoy, oil painting, imported gilt center table, jardiniere stands, silk embroidered wall hanging, chinnel curtains, Yunnan marble wall panel, blackwood stools, brass and porcelain ornaments, vases, etc.,

Drawing Room: Tientsin carpets, hearth rug, blackwood marble top revolving table, hearth stool, jardiniere stand, side table, mahogany stained inlaid taffetta covered drawing room suite cherrywood heavy carved center table, mahogany stained curio cabinet, chiffonier, escritoire, French porcelain jardiniere with pedestal, fancy oval mirror, marble bust, blackwood wall panels, and long table, taffetta covered arm chair, Ningpo ivory inlaid high flower stand, satin curtain, jade, bronze and lacquered ornaments, etc.,

Dining Room: Peking carpet, Axminster hearth rugs, large satin embroidered wall hanging, blackwood marble top round table, blackwood 4-fold silk embroidered high screen, leather covered double spring couch and easy chairs, oakwood mirror back sideboard, cellarette, dining table and chairs, silver ware cabinet, chinnel curtains, porcelain ornaments, inlaid photogravure, superior E. P., cut-glass, silver, crockery, and glass ware, etc.,

2 Bed rooms:—Axminster carpets, hearth rug, mahogany stained and oakwood bedroom suites, one large imported walnut wood wardrobe, cosy corner, taffetta and blue drill covered double spring chesterfield couch and easy chairs, writing desk and chairs, white and grey enamelled "Simmons" bed-steads, bed linen, lace curtains, pictures, etc., Electric fittings throughout.

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One set of 8-jade inlaid high screen.
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Splendid Australian Exhibit At B.W.A. Fayre

A more than generous response has been made by Australian and New Zealand manufacturers to the exhibition of Australian goods to be held at Ye Old English Fayre on Friday and Saturday next, October 26 and 27 at the Race Course. These goods have been sent as advertising samples with a view to getting Australian and New Zealand products better known in Shanghai, and therefore (as these goods have been donated for that particular purpose) the goods sent are to be sold at a wonderfully low price so that everyone may have an opportunity of testing them for themselves.

As the lines include many everyday necessities it will be a great saving to householders to lay in a stock for the coming months. Among the products sent forward by the Commonwealth and Dominion are included the following:—Swallow and Ariell of Melbourne—all kinds of biscuits, cakes and Xmas plum puddings: The Queensland State Canning Works, Brisbane—Pineapple and jams: Foggitt, Jones and Co., Ltd., of Brisbane—Food products, tinned meats, cheese, jams, fruits, etc.: Glaxo of New Zealand—Infants' food, etc.: Geddes and Co., Shanghai—Butter, IXL Jams, Flour, etc.: Irwine and Stevenson, St. George's Works, Dunedin—Cheese, tinned meats, fruits, jams, pickles, etc.: William Angliss and Co., Propy, Ltd., Melbourne—Canned meats: Wool yarn, leather shoes, woollen knitted goods, provisions, etc. have been sent by the Australian Manufacturers:

Finest Australian Oranges from the N. S. W. Citrus Assoc. Ltd., Sydney. The Tasmanian Cider Co. Ltd., of Hobart have sent Apple Cider: The Western District Co. operative Produce Company of Melbourne—Butter, Powdered Milk (Trufood): Arthur P. Steward of Sydney has sent a special line of men's felt hats, known as Akubra hats: whilst the Queensland Forest Service, Brisbane, have sent sleepers, panels of Queensland timbers, etc. There will also be bags, hats, cushions, etc. made from Australian leather.

Particular attention is again drawn to the fact that in fairness to the firms who have so generously donated the goods they will be sold at such a price that householders will be able to lay in a large stock of tinned goods with a very great saving to themselves. The goods have arrived by the St. Albans which reached Hongkong last week, and have just been received in Shanghai. They will therefore be delightfully fresh. All information regarding these exhibits may be obtained from the Stallholders. The proceeds will go towards Ye Olde English Fayre.

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Reaches Jehol By Motor From Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Oct. 22.—Capt. Roque, French Military Attache, and Mr. Nicolai of the Societe Metallurgique last week drove the first motor car, a Citroen Caterpillar, to Jehol and back, overcoming the difficulties presented by rivers and other natural obstacles. Captain Roque and Mr. Nicolai consider that it would be possible, if a few improvements were made of the existing track, to make the trip in forty-eight hours.

RESIDENTS OF CHANGSHA FLEE AS WAR NEARS

City Believed A Dangerous Spot As Big Cannons Are Mounted

(Independent News Service)

Changsha, Oct. 17.—Northern troops are reported have arrived at Lou-tou-ho, about 15 li from this city and will come to Changsha in a day or two. General Tan Ti-ping, who has thus far riding on the fence, will very likely throw his lot with General Tan Yen-kai, the Kuomingtang commander now at war with Chao Heng-ti.

That Changsha is a dangerous spot is understood by all. Big cannons are in full display on both banks of the river, and something like a determined war seems to be just a matter of time. The Chinese people and foreigners as well are grieved over the situation.

Military extortion in Changsha has gone to the limit now. All who can be squeezed have been so treated, and no candidates are in sight all round. Many, if not all, of the well to-do class have gone to places of security like the foreign concessions of Hankow and even Shanghai. The officials have imposed three month's additional rent on houses to be shared by the tenants and landholders. Now they have decided to levy one more month. The most strange part is the scheme to collect the farm tax in Hunan of the next year. Taxes payable a year in advance are certainly something brand new.

Naval Expansion In Japan Bogey To Australians

(Reuter's Service)

Sydney, Oct. 23.—In the discussion on Australian defence at the National Conference today Japan, whose naval expansion was characterised as alarming, was mentioned as the only country capable of crossing swords with Australia. The Defence Minister, Mr. E. K. Bowden, emphasised the necessity of replacing the present Australian cruisers, which were rapidly becoming obsolete, and also insisted on the importance of building submarines.

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